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8 KILLED, 8 INJURED, IN DINING CAR'S PLUNGE INTO RIVER

FIRE FORCES 20 PERSONS TO FLEE FROM TENEMENT

Blaze Discovered in Sewell Well Co. Plant Adjoining Building at 1713 North Ninth Street.

Twenty occupants of a tenement house at 1713 North Ninth street were forced to flee into the street in their night clothing at 11:20 o'clock last night with the temperature 10 above zero, when fire was discovered in the plant of the Sewell Well Co., 901 Howard street, which adjoins the tenement on the south.

The blaze was discovered by a passing policeman who aroused the occupants of the tenement after he had sent in a fire alarm by telephone. The nearest fire alarm box was in operative because of the storm.

A general alarm brought 20 fire companies to the scene, but the fire had gained too great a headway to be stopped and the building was ruined within an hour. James R. Sewell, president of the company, could not be reached for an estimate of the value of the company's equipment, which consists largely of tool making machinery. The building is the property of John O'Fallon Delaney estate.

Patrolman Lindstroth of the North Market Street District, who discovered the fire a short time after he had gone on duty, told reporters that the blaze apparently was caused by an overheated stove. The fire spread rapidly and Lindstroth rushed to the tenement. At that time the flames seemed in danger of reaching the tenement and its occupants fled without taking time to dress. They were housed in nearby homes until the blaze was out.

COOLIDGE AND PARTY LEAVE FOR CRUISE ON MAYFLOWER

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Accompanied by a small party, President and Mrs. Coolidge left Washington today for an over-Sunday cruise down the Potomac on the Mayflower.

The plan was to sail down as far as Quantico, Va., tonight, return to Washington early tomorrow to permit the President's son, John, arriving home from college, to join the party, and then to proceed down the river again and return Monday morning.

The guests included Secretary Gore, William Allen White, the Kansas publisher, and Mrs. White; George Harvey, former ambassador to England, and Mrs. Harvey; Logan Payne, Washington publisher, and Mrs. Payne; Mr. and Mrs. David Lawrence, Eugene Meyer Jr., managing director of the War Finance Corporation, and Mrs. Meyer.

NEW LEIPSIC HIGH SCHOOL TEACHES ONLY BY RADIO

LEIPSIC, Dec. 20.—A "People's High School" has been opened here in which instruction is offered exclusively by radio. The school has been named the "Hans Bredow Volkshochschule" in honor of the Undersecretary of the Postoffice Department in charge of the radio division.

The pupils of the new school consist of radio subscribers of the Leipsic circuit, who listen to lectures. In the event technical subjects, necessitating diagrams and illustrations, are discussed, the pupils receive illustrated booklets in advance. The lecturer, at the appointed time, asks his listeners to turn to page or diagram so and so as he elucidates his subject.

Mexico Revokes Banker's Contract.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—J. L. Arlitt, Austin, Tex., banker, who undertook, single handed, to float a $50,000,000 loan for the Mexican Government, and whose project has been attended with mystery and surmise in Wall street, has been notified by Arturio M. Elias, Mexican financial agent here, that his contract with the Mexican Government has been rescinded. Elias says Arlitt's contract was rescinded because he failed to post a $100,000 guarantee bond, despite repeated requests.

Soo Line Coach Becomes Detached From Train and Falls From Trestle in Wisconsin.

DROPS 60 FEET TO ICY WATER

Baby and Three Women Among Dead—One of the Women Still Is Unidentified.

By the Associated Press.

CHIPPEWA FALLS, Wis., Dec. 20.—Eight persons were killed and eight injured when a cafe-observation car, the last coach of an eastbound Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie passenger train, plunged from the trestle over the Chippewa River here today into the icy waters 60 feet below.

Seven of the dead had been identified tonight as Mrs. Harry Jones of Sioux City, Ia.; Charles M. Pardoe of Minneapolis; Barbara Spencer, 6-months-old daughter of Matthew Lyle Spencer of Seattle; Mrs. Florence Higus of Minneapolis, Richard W. Sharp of Toronto; John T. Dunne of New York City, and Kenneth J. Henderson, Moosejaw, Saskatchewan.

The one unidentified dead person is a woman.

Submerged Seven Feet.

Throughout the afternoon and into the night the search of the coach continued as it lay bottom up in about seven feet of water, its trucks and much of one end well above the water line.

Eight persons taken to St. Joseph's Hospital here were receiving medical or surgical attention tonight for injuries and exposure. Those in the hospital included:

Miss Marion Lawson, Menasha, Wis.; Harry Jones, Sioux City, Ia., husband of the dead woman; Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Spencer, Seattle, Wash.; Mrs. Alma Blixt, Fond du Lac, Wis., wife of a Soo Line fuel inspector; Sam Curtis and John Lewis, negro porters, St. Paul, and another negro porter, unidentified.

Spencer, who is dean of the Journalism, University of Washington, and Mrs. Spencer, were among the less seriously hurt. The steward, Curtis, also suffered principally from exposure and was ready to leave the hospital tonight.

Broken Bolt the Cause.

A broken switch bolt apparently was the cause of the accident, which occurred as the train was pulling into Chippewa Falls over the 500-foot trestle that spans the Chippewa River, about a half mile from the railroad station.

The railroad tracks parallel the river along the north shore for some distance and the approach to the bridge is a wide curve, terminating just as the trestle is reached. About 200 feet from the bridge is a side track which switches off the Minnesota line, with a cut along the river shore, while the main line turns on to the river trestle.

The bolt in this switch apparently had been snapped by the intense cold and the forward coaches of the train had pounded against the left rail on the outside of the curve right at the switch until its point had been battered down.

All the coaches passed safely over this point except the rear trucks of the rear coach. Tracks along the ties show the rear trucks, without the stabilizing influence of a coach behind them, jumped over the battered rail and traveled down the side track about three feet before being pulled toward the bridge turn.

Dragged on Trestle's Edge.

Marks on the trestle show that the wheels on one side kept from an inch to a foot from the edge of the trestle for nearly 200 feet. Then, apparently, the connection with the rest of the train was broken as the rear trucks clung to the edge of the trestle. The severance from the rest of the train caused the forward end of the car to swing sharply to the side.

For a moment it poised there, then hurtled downward for 60 feet, turning over as it went and buried its nose, bottom up, in the river. The force of the plunge drove the forward end of the car car into the muddy bottom of the

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MAN ATTACKED IN EAST SIDE CABIN NAMED AS ROBBER

William Cook Was Accused in Confession of Driving Motorboat Used by Columbia Bank Robbers.

SHOOTING LINKED WITH GANG FEUD

Warrant Requested for Wounded Man—Son-in-Law, Under Indictment, Is Held in Oklahoma.

A warrant charging complicity in the $11,000 robbery of the First National Bank of Columbia, Ill., Sept. 3 last, was requested yesterday of Monroe County authorities against William Cook, 28 years old, who was shot early Friday by a band of men who invaded his log cabin home in a swamp near East St. Louis.

Deputy Sheriff Schrader of East St. Louis, who asked for the warrant, revealed last night that Cook is the stepfather of Charles Green, under indictment in the Columbia robbery, and that Cook was named in the confession of Joe Neuby as the man who transported the robbers with their loot in a motor boat across the Mississippi River and later sank the boat near Grafton, Ill.

The shooting, Schrader stated, was apparently the outcome of a quarrel over the division of the Columbia loot. His information is that Green and James Ripley, under arrest at Shawnee, Okla., for a bank robbery there, precipitated a gang feud by taking more than their share of the Columbia loot. Cook and his wife, Mrs. Birdie Cook, formerly lived in Venice but disappeared shortly after the Columbia robbery and their whereabouts were unknown until the shooting.

Man and Wife in Hospital.

Both are now at St. Mary's Hospital, Cook in serious condition from his wounds, and Mrs. Cook suffering from exposure. They have offered no explanation for the attack, asserting their assailants were strangers. Shots were fired through the wall at 4 a. m., they said, and when Cook opened the door he faced a band of 15 men, who shot him as he fled across the swamp. Mrs. Cook said she was tied to the bed, and after a long struggle released herself.

Deputy Sheriffs Hubert and Ames yesterday made a thorough search of the cabin and found a pair of handcuffs believed to be those taken from Deputy Sheriff Lin Larrison of Alton when he was kidnaped by two men in a Marmon car Nov. 22 and held prisoner for several hours. The search also revealed a pair of license plates bearing a number said to be the same as that on the Marmon car which figured again the same week in a holdup at the grocery of Harry Kramer, 4000 Bond avenue, East St. Louis.

40 Bullets in Wall.

Joe Neuby, who confessed his part in the Columbia holdup, was freed last week at Waterloo after a trial in which his testimony contributed much to the conviction of four men implicaed in the robbery. According to Schrader, his confession and the feud has crippled the activity of a gang suspected of many recent robberies in St. Clair and Madison counties.

The inspection of Cook's cabin revealed that one wall had been riddled with more than 40 bullets. Against this wall, Mrs. Cook said, their bed had stood until Thursday night, when they moved it to a position nearer the stove because of the cold wave. It took nine hours to bring Cook to the hospital because of the necessity of carrying him through the swamp and laying timbers over marshy stretches to support the weight of his body. No trace of the assailants was found.

600 LEFT OF 2000 SPANIARDS WHO FOUGHT MOORS GO HOME

Remnant of Regiment Sails to Spend Christmas With Families.

By the Associated Press.

TETUAN, Morocco, Dec. 20.—Six hundred men, all that remain of a regiment of 2000 which was rushed to Morocco during the critical fighting against the rebellious Moors, embarked today to spend Christmas in Spain with their families.

Lieutenant-Colonel Temprano, who commanded the regiment, was killed in action. Of the officers, only one remains unhurt, all the others having been killed or wounded.

URGES SUPREME COURT TO DROP ITS MONASTICISM

Solicitor-General Beck Says Greater Co-operation With Congress and President Is Needed.

LA FOLLETTE VOTE FURNISHES LESSON

Suggests Body Rule on Constitutionality of Proposed Laws Before Passage in Certain Cases.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—A carefully guarded suggestion that, from the 4,000,000 votes cast for Senator La Follette for the presidency, conservative minds might draw a lesson that the United States Supreme Court should forsake some of its traditional aloofness from Congress and the President, was made tonight by James M. Beck, Solicitor-General of the United States, at the annual dinner of the Pennsylvania Society in the Waldorf-Astoria.

More than 1000 Pennsylvanians, headed by Charles M. Schwab, president of the society, attended. Beck was once president of the society. Schwab, Charles Aubrey Eaton, Rabbi Stephen S. Wise and George W. Wickersham also spoke.

Beck carefully avoided expressing any opinion that might be taken as his own or the Federal administration's. His suggestions were that the La Follette vote was small enough to demonstrate the faith of the people in the Constitution, and large enough so it "cannot be ignored by thoughtful men." It showed, he said, need of greater confidence in the Supreme Court and such confidence, he suggested, might be strengthened if the Supreme Court were to advise Congress and the President of the constitutionality of measures before they become laws. Now the court declines to give any opinion on laws until they are enacted and their constitutionality is questioned in litigation.

Co-operation Not Forbidden.

"I recognize the Constitution imposes no duty on the court to give such opinions," said Beck, "but it does not forbid such useful co-operation, and the great end of our constitutional development should be to bring the three departments into closer co-operation. Now that the danger of the La Follette attack on the Supreme Court is happily passed, is it not a good time to determine whether this can be done?

"If Congress, by a joint resolution signed by the President, requested the court to give an advisory opinion as to whether a proposed law is within the competence of the Government, should the court decline its aid? Its power to refuse such aid cannot be questioned. I recognize that, if a bare majority of Congress could thus drag the Supreme Court into any current political controversy, its prestige would be in danger.

"But if members of Congress, sincerely dubious of their power to pass a law, could, by a resolution passed by a preponderant majority —say, two-thirds—and signed by the President, request such advice, would such an advisory opinion, under exceptional circumstances, and resting solely in the discretion of the court, be prejudicial either to the Government or the court?

Urges Public Interest.

"Time was when the Supreme Court shared with Congress the interest of the people. If the Court is to continue to resist ever-recurring crises in its existence, there must be greater public interest in its deliberations. Increasingly it is becoming more and more a monastic institution. The members of the Court are expected to be political recluses. Less and less interest is taken by the people in the activities of this most important department of our Government.

"I believe the decreasing interest is due to a profound error of the American people in applying the Constitution. Parliamentary government, in its true sense, has been prevented. There is too often a lack of teamwork. As a result, Congress, which once determined great questions of constitutional law, no longer makes any pretense of so doing.

"The people too often support any fad, however clearly it transgresses the Constitution, on the theory that, if it be unconstitutional, the Supreme Court will say so. Thus the spirit of constitutional morality, without which our institutions will one day perish, gradually ebbs away."

A letter received by Schwab from President Coolidge before the dinner tonight said:

"My regret that I am unable to

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CONTINUED COLD; FAIR TODAY AND CLOUDY TOMORROW

THE TEMPERATURES.

6 a. m.	3	4 p. m.	12
7 a. m.	3	5 p. m.	12
8 a. m.	3	6 p. m.	11
9 a. m.	3	7 p. m.	11
10 a. m.	5	8 p. m.	11
11 a. m.	8	9 p. m.	10
12 Noon	10	*10 p. m.	10
1 p. m.	12	*11 p. m.	10
2 p. m.	12	*12 Midnight	10
3 p. m.	12		

*Indicates street readings.

Lowest yesterday, 1 at 7:30 a. m.; highest, 13, at 2:30 p. m.

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Fair today, followed by increasing cloudiness tomorrow; continued cold.

Missouri: Fair today, increasing cloudiness tomorrow; continued cold.

Illinois: Fair today and probably tomorrow; continued cold.

Sun rises today at 7:17 a. m.; sets at 4:42 p. m.

Week's Weather Outlook.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Weather outlook for week beginning Monday: Upper Mississippi and lower Missouri valleys, cold virtually entire week; mostly fair indicated, although probability of snow about Tuesday or Wednesday.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Further reports reaching the Weather Bureau today confirmed the Government forecasters in their belief that the cold wave now taking hold of the East is likely to remain unbroken for several days.

No Skating or Coasting in Parks.

Skating and coasting in city parks will not be permitted today, as conditions are not yet considered safe, Park Commissioner Pape announced.

WICKED DICTIONARIES ARE WIELDED IN ENGLAND

Challenge to International Match Likely Since Cross-Word Puzzle Has Become Obsession.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—"If ever there is to be a breach between the two English-speaking nations, the cross-word puzzle will probably be the cause," predicts the Westminster Gazette. This newspaper complains further that already the cross-word puzzle has become an obsession in Great Britain. "Children take it to bed with them, it makes boys late for school, it has thrust unemployment, the cost of living, the state of trade and even Mr. A. into the background. The eleventh plague is one before which all the other 10 shrink into insignificance."

Although there is no doubt that the puzzle has hit Great Britain hard, interest in it has not yet reached the stage where "Bogey" time for solving the problems is given by the newspapers carrying them. However, there are some British enthusiasts who wield a "wicked" dictionary, so in the near future American experts may be challenged to an international match.

ASSOCIATED PRESS SENDS NEWS BULLETINS FROM K S D

Special Service for Illinois and Missouri Newspapers Due to Storm Damage.

The Associated Press broadcast news bulletins through Post-Dispatch radio station K S D, from 10 o'clock last night until midnight. Part of the messages sent were in radio code and others by voice, this service being given for Illinois and Missouri newspapers, although it is thought likely that papers in Kansas, Oklahoma and Iowa, whose telegraph service also was hindered by the storm, would benefit.

Except for news sent by the Associated Press by mail, radio communication through K S D was the only means by which Associated Press papers in Springfield, Mo., and Springfield and Jacksonville, Ill., had of receiving information.

Cars—From the "Inside"

Do you want a car by a maker with a name that stands for the highest quality?

Well, that is natural, but the motor mechanic who works on the "inside" of every kind of car says: "Don't forget that all cars which have wide sales are well-made. They couldn't sell 'em otherwise."

If, therefore, you find that a new car with the big name is beyond your reach now, choose one that has seen some service—either of that name or another which stands for quality and large sales.

The Post-Dispatch Classified "Automobiles" Columns contain the best values in the St. Louis market.

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St. Louis' One Big Automobile Directory
The Perfect Market-Place

ARMY OF WORKERS STRIVING MIGHTILY TO FREE ST. LOUIS FROM ITS FETTERS OF ICE

WEST STILL IS GRIPPED BY COLD; RELIEF IN SIGHT

Crest of Frigid Wave Moving to Atlantic, Leaving Sub-Zero Weather in Its Wake.

WESTERN WYOMING REPORTS 52 BELOW

Deaths Reported From Several States—Rise of Temperatures May Begin Today.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—While the crest of the cold wave moved steadily eastward today, approaching the Atlantic seaboard and sending temperatures down in Southern and Southeastern states, below-zero weather continued in the Northwest and Middle West, with some indications of relief within 36 hours for those sections.

The mercury dropped to 6 degrees below zero in Chicago today. Reports from the West showed 4 degrees below zero at Omaha, Neb., and 16 below at Valentine, Neb. Much colder weather prevailed in Wyoming, as on previous days, one town reporting 52 below. A blizzard was reported from the upper peninsula in Michigan, with 26 degrees below zero in one place there.

In the Southwest, the temperatures moderated tonight, but, today, Amarillo, Tex., reported 2 degrees below zero and it was 4 degrees above at Santa Fe, N. M. The South did not escape the severity of the storm, Louisville, Ky., experiencing 8 degrees above zero; Memphis, Tenn., 12 above, and Shreveport, La., 20 above—unusually low temperatures for those cities.

Reports tonight indicated a general moderation tomorrow in the sections north and west of Indiana and Michigan, particularly in the Northern Rockies.

Deaths, due directly or indirectly to the cold wave, were reported from all sections.

Two men were frozen to death in Chicago and a third in Detroit. Falls on slippery pavements led to several other deaths in the larger cities of the Northwest, and efforts to meet the low temperatures with forced heat led to the burning of homes and the death of several other persons. Montana, Wyoming, Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma, Michigan and Illinois were among the states reporting deaths due directly or indirectly to the cold.

Temperatures Begin to Moderate in Southwest.

By the Associated Press.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 20.—Temperatures moderated throughout the Southwest somewhat tonight, but train service seemed to get worse rather than improve and wire communication showed no indication of recovering from its demoralized state.

The list of deaths, due indirectly to the storm and low temperatures, increased to 11 in the Southwest today when a mother and two children were burned to death at Hobart, Ok., in a fire that started from an overheated stove. The temperature there—one degree below zero—was the coldest in years.

Twenty-five persons were driven from their home here in scant attire early today as the result of another overheated stove causing a fire.

Property damage estimated at hundreds of thousands of dollars has been caused in central Missouri by the storm, according to radio dispatches to the Associated Press from Jefferson City. A shortage of railroad coal there threatened to seriously intefere with train service.

Jefferson City and St. Louis received news reports from the Associated Press today by radio.

Western Wyoming Town Reports Temperature of 52 Below.

By the Associated Press.

ROCK SPRINGS, Wyo., Dec. 20.—All records for cold weather in recent years in Western Wyoming have been shattered in the last few days. This morning Pinedale reported 52 degrees below zero, Eden 45 below, and Rock Springs 22 below.

WARNING ISSUED TO PHONE FIRE DEPARTMENT AFTER PULLING THE ALARM HOOK

FIRE CHIEF PANZER yesterday requested citizens turning in fire alarms to telephone the Fire Department at Main 113 or Main 133, in addition to pulling the hook at the alarm box during the present impaired condition of the signal system as a result of the severe sleet storm.

Chief Panzer's request was made when it was learned that 800 of the 1800 alarm boxes in the city were out of commission. Only about 400 are now out of service. In order that the Fire Department receives a report of all fires, citizens are urged to call the telephone numbers given after pulling the hook in the alarm box, and, if possible, to visit the nearest engine house and report the fire.

Damage to the city fire alarm and police telephone system caused by the sleet storm is greater, Chief Panzer said, than that caused by the 1896 cyclone, when it cost the city $75,000 to restore service. Work of repairing the damage is under way, but it will require considerable time to return the entire system to operation.

JUDGE'S MISTAKE STAYS EXECUTION ABOUT TO BE HELD

Thinking Delay Granted and Finding Warden Not Notified, He Gets Reprieve From Governor.

By the Associated Press.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 20.—A mother's prayers were answered but Joseph Clarence Kane today peered through the bars of the death cell at the State penitentiary and laughed at justice—laughed at life, laughed at death.

A mistake by Chief Justice Carrington C. Marshall, of the Ohio Supreme Court was responsible for Kane being granted 20 more days of life—it also answered the prayer of Kane's mother that he be permitted to live until after Christmas.

Kane was to have been executed at the penitentiary early this morning for the murder of 7-year-old Paul Prologo, but the Chief Justice's mistake brought a reprieve from Gov. Donahey.

The Chief Justice explained today that a stay of execution of the sentence to pay a $100 fine imposed upon Norman E. Kendall, proprietor of the Nemo Theater of Cleveland, for violation of the child labor law had been granted and that he had become confused and, believing that the stay had been granted to Kane, took steps to delay the execution.

The condemned man's mother had appealed to Gov. Donahey yesterday that he reprieve her son until after Christmas.

"It was an awful crime," she told the Governor's executive clerk. "I know he must receive the same punishment others have received. But can't the electrocution be postponed until after Christmas? If he dies tomorrow morning, we will be so unhappy next week."

But the Governor denied the mother's request.

She returned home and spent the night in prayer that her son be spared.

Kane was to have been executed at 1 a. m. today. At 10 o'clock last night Warden Thomas at the prison was making preparations for the execution. At that time Justice Marshall, seeing nothing in the papers of the stay, which he then thought had been granted Kane, called up a local paper and it was found that the court clerks knew nothing of it. The Justice communicated with the Governor, who granted a reprieve until Jan. 8.

This morning the mother was notified that her prayers had been answered.

TREE FALLS, KILLS FIVE

TACOMA, Wash., Dec. 20.—Five persons were killed and two injured when a tree fell across an automobile bus near Chehalis, Wash., today.

The bus was on the Norton-to-Chehalis run and the accident happened 22 miles east of Chehalis. The dead are: Dean Shaler, an unidentified boy 7 years old, a man named Chapman, W. M. Kiser, and Buck Belcher.

COLD KEEPS THE CITY IN PARTIAL ISOLATION

Light, Telephone and Train and Car Service in Vicinity Impaired and Mail Delayed.

TWO DEATHS FROM NEAR-ZERO COLD

Many County Residents Are Using Candles and Coal Oil Lamps; Damage Loss Runs High.

Icebound and shivering, St. Louis is awaiting restoration of the wires of various public utilities and a moderation of temperature to relieve it of the near-isolation wrought by Thursday night's sleet storm and the ensuing cold wave. Meanwhile, food and fuel supplies here are ample.

Wires and their poles must be restored to enable ready operation of trains, and resumption of normal telephone and fire alarm telegraph service, and a moderation of temperature is necessary to make the switches and signals of the railroad yards work freely for normal traffic.

The cold wave, which started in the West a week ago, by yesterday had swept over the whole of the United States except the Atlantic Coast and the extreme Southern edge, and lowered the St. Louis temperature almost to the zero point. Yesterday's minimum here was 1 above zero at 7:30 a. m. Continued cold was forecast for today and tomorrow. From Lander, Wyo., to Miami, Fla., there was a temperature range of 104 degrees in the United States, Lander having 36 below zero and Miami, the center of the winter resort region, 68 above. Local freezing filled the Mississippi River here with floating ice.

There were two deaths here resulting from the cold.

Repairmen at Work.

The spirit of service was exemplified in the incessant toil, heedless of biting winds and icy tools, of many hundreds of repairmen for the public utilities. They began Thursday before the driving rain that later turned to ice had ceased, and they are still on the job, having had varying opportunities to obtain rest and warmth. Every man capable of making repairs was mobilized.

St. Louis County suffered more than any section in this vicinity. Since Thursday night it has been almost entirely deprived of electric and telephone service and has suffered a temporary loss of trolley service.

Kirkwood, one of the largest suburbs, was for a time without water. Yesterday afternoon, while workmen were busy restoring service at the city water plant, a connection was made with a main of the West St. Louis Water and Light Co., which will furnish water service until the municipal plant is repaired. Many county homes are also without adequate heat because failure of the electric supply made it impossible to use oil heating systems which use electric power in their operation.

Oil Lamps and Candles.

Some county residents who could afford it arranged to stay in city hotels till the electricity was restored. Others lugged home oil stoves and candles or resurrected coal oil lamps from attics. Pat plumbers' candles proved to give an acceptable reading light if enough of them were clustered together. Homes were dark and stores were darker; roadhouses which flourish ordinarily in bright illumination, seemed to have gone out of business.

Lack of street lights added to the danger of fallen trees, branches, poles and wires. One occupation that was feasible un-

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CORRUPTION IN U.S. DRY ENFORCEMENT SERVICE BROUGHT UP AT HEARING

Haynes Says 716 of Total of 10,175 Appointees Since Beginning of Prohibition Have Been Ousted.

WANTS FUND FOR PUBLICITY CAMPAIGN

Head of Coast Guard Sees Little, if Any, Curtailment of Liquor Smuggling by Sea.

By CHARLES G. ROSS,
Chief Washington Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Corruption in the Federal prohibition enforcement service and the failure of the coast guard despite increased appropriation to effect any material reduction of rum running along the Atlantic Coast were two of the topics covered in testimony given before the House Committee on Appropriations during its consideration of the pending Treasury Department appropriation bill. The testimony was made public yesterday as a portion of the record on which the committee bases its recommendation that approximately $20,000,000 be allotted for prohibition enforcement during the coming fiscal year—$11,000,000 for the field forces under Prohibition Commissioner Haynes and about $9,000,000 for the antiliquor smuggling activities of the "dry navy."

Asked About Corruption.

Questioned by the committee about corruption in the service, Commissioner Haynes testified that out of a total of 10,175 appointees since the beginning of prohibition, 716 had been dismissed "for cause." The figures do not include agents who have been allowed to resign under fire.

Haynes said that the total of 10,175 included not only enforcement agents, but civil service employes of the prohibition unit, and that the discharges had been mainly among the agents. He classified the causes of the 716 dismissals as follows: False statements on application, 18; collusion, 5; extortion and bribery, 107; falsification of expense accounts, 77; conspiracy, 50; illegal disposition of liquor and other property, 41; embezzlement, 6; intoxication, 59; dereliction of duty, 50; robbery of warehouse, 8; misconduct, 120; violation of national prohibition act, 6; disclosing confidential information, 10; unsatisfactory service and insubordination, 108; acceptance of gratuities, 6; submission of false reports, 18; theft, 10; contempt of court, 6; assault, 10. Five hundred and seventy of these dismissals were among prohibition enforcement agents described by Haynes as men actually engaged in enforcement work in the field, of whom there had been appointed since the beginning of the dry era a total of 4900. Of the 570, a total of 293 were separated from the service for such crimes as collusion, extortion, conspiracy and the like, and the remaining 277 for drunkenness, other forms of misconduct and unsatisfactory service.

1569 Now Employed.

Haynes placed the total number of agents now employed by the prohibition unit at 1569.

The commissioner gave the committee an optimistic picture of prohibition enforcement. "I think the attitude of the public with reference to the enforcement of the law is better than ever," he said. "I think that is generally reflected. I think there are certain groups, unfortunately, who have not yet come to see their responsibility with reference to their observance of this law. I think it is necessary to continuously make patriotic appeals to these groups."

Haynes asked that he be allowed to spend up to $200,000 on a publicity campaign to induce people "to observe the law and revere the Constitution," similar to the campaign for the conservation of food during the war. He stressed the great benefits he thought would be derived from the liberal use of posters in Federal buildings and on billboards.

"They would simply contain an appeal for loyalty to the Constitution and the support of the Government and law," he said. "I think they would make a fine appeal."

Effect on Bootleggers.

"What effect would that have upon the bootleggers?" asked Chairman Madden of the committee.

"I don't know that it would have any helpful effect on the bootlegger," replied the Commissioner, "but it would certainly have an effect upon many who have been buying his supply."

The committee in its report on the bill recommended that Haynes be permitted to use $50,000 in the manner suggested.

Haynes said that he had been much impressed with the virtual absence of drunkenness in Cleveland during the Republican national convention, and by the good order in Washington during the Holy Name and Mystic Shrine conventions. He added that at "state fairs and other great gatherings of that kind in time past there have been a great many more cases of disorder."

"You do not mean to compare the average attendance at state and county fairs to the attendance at the Holy Name Society, or at the Mystic Shrine convention, do you?" asked Representative Vare of Pennsylvania. "Those men would be picked delegates. I do not think you do justice to those organizations."

Mentioned as Samples.

Haynes quickly disclaimed any intention of reflecting on the Shriners or the members of the Holy Name Society. He was a Mason, himself, he said. He had merely named those conventions as samples of large gatherings where excellent order prevailed. Haynes then disclosed to the committee that every now and then he goes to New York in the evening, "under cover," to study conditions in the congested districts.

"I was there week before last," he continued, "and went about from about midnight until 2 or 3 in the morning and I did not see any evidence of drinking. The next day I spent half an hour with Judge Gary discussing these matters. He is a man who knows what is going on in the industrial world, and he said to me, 'Mr. Haynes, I am astonished at the improved conditions generally. There has never been such a helpful effect in a similar length of time on industry from a similar governmental policy. Conditions have improved, the men are working better, they are clothing their children better and providing better for their families.'"

Admiral's Testimony.

Haynes told the committee that he regarded the smuggling situation as "practically solved," or at least soon to be solved by the increased coast guard organization. In this respect the commissioner's testimony was somewhat at variance with that of Rear Admiral F. C. Billard, commandant of the Coast Guard.

Admiral Billard said there had been little, if any, curtailment of liquor smuggling by sea since his last appearance before the committee, a year ago.

"The more I study this problem," said the Admiral, "the more I am impressed with the magnitude of the task that has been given the Coast Guard to do. The Coast Guard is making more seizures and is accomplishing more today than ever before. As the Coast Guard increases its forces, I am confident we shall see a decrease in the amount of smuggling, but I cannot point to any marked decrease as yet."

Representative Vare pointed out that under the current appropriations bill the Coast Guard has $12,194,900 for its anti-gambling program and in addition has received ships from the navy valued at $18,000,000—a total of $30,000,000.

Expansion Progressing.

The Admiral said that the enlargement program previously approved by the committee, involving the reconditioning of two destroyers and the building of 323 small craft, was progressing as well as could be expected, and that he would have all the boats in operation by the first of next July. When the full resources of the service could be brought to bear, he predicted there would be a material reduction of rum running.

Admiral Billard, in reply to questions, touched casually on the hazards of the service.

"We have," he said, "many resistances to seizures of small rum-running launches, which shoot at our boats and attempt to ram them and sink them, or throw cases of liquor overboard, and sometimes lay fish nets and other things in the attempt to sink our pursuing boats."

"Have any of your men been killed in these brushes?" he was asked.

"I do not know of any actual loss of life that we have yet sustained," he replied.

"You have had to kill the other fellow occasionally?"

"Very Rare Instances."

"In very rare instances," said the Admiral. "There have been one or two cases where bootleggers have stopped a bullet from a Coast Guard craft."

Admiral Billard gave the committee a report showing that from April 4 to Oct. 23 the Coast Guard seized 214 rum-running boats, or compelled them to throw liquor overboard under pursuit. One vessel had 35,000 cases on board. In some instances the same boat was seized four or five times.

Representative Byrnes of Tennessee recalled that when Admiral Billard was before the committee last year he told of rum fleets hovering off the coast of New York and Boston and possibly other places.

"Have they been dispersed?" asked Byrnes, "or are they still there?"

"They are still there, sir," replied Admiral Billard, "in varying numbers. One week there will be less than the preceding week and then they will come back."

CANCER DEATHS INCREASED TUBERCULOSIS WAS REDUCED IN U. S. REGISTRATION AREA

Census Bureau Figures Cover 87 Per Cent of Entire Country—Missouri Rate Growing.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Deaths from cancer increased in the United States in 1923, while the fight against tuberculosis made progress.

A total of 86,754 deaths were reported to the Census Bureau as having resulted from cancer last year in a registration area composed of territory containing 87.6 per cent of the total population. This represented an increase of 5816 deaths over 1922. The rate per 100,000 population was 89.4, against 86.8 in 1922.

Missouri had 3176 deaths from cancer in 1923, as compared with 2947 in 1922. The rate per 100,000 population was 92.2 in 1923 and 85.9 in 1922. Adjusted to make allowance for the character of the population the rate was 80.5 in 1923 and 75 in 1922.

In making comparisons between the states, adjusted rates are used in order to give weight to difference in the age and sex distribution of the population. A state with many old persons would normally have a greater ratio of deaths from cancer than a state with comparatively few old persons. On the basis of the adjusted rates, New York ranked highest in 1923, with 102.6 deaths per 100,000 population and South Carolina lowest, with 52.2 deaths.

Out of 34 states for which adjusted rates are shown, 23 had higher rates in 1923 than in 1922.

In the same area tuberculosis caused 90,732 deaths, against 90,452 in 1922, but the rate per 100,000 decreased from 97 to 93.6.

The Census Bureau estimated that if the unregistered areas maintained the same ratio of deaths, cancer caused 93,000 deaths in 1923, against 95,000 in 1922.

The greatest number of cancer deaths was in New York, where 12,247 died from the disease, against 11,697 in 1922. The total for Illinois was 6636, against 6440.

The largest number of deaths from tuberculosis occurred in New York, where 10,611 persons succumbed to the disease, against 10,695 in 1922.

URGES SUPREME COURT TO DROP ITS MONASTICISM

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accept your invitation for the annual dinner of the Pennsylvania Society of New York is enhanced by the fact that the society's guest of honor is to be the Solicitor-General, Hon. James Beck. It would be particularly a pleasure to join in your recognition of him and his public service. It is the good fortune of the Government that it enlists so many men of whom the Solicitor-General is a type who are willing to give it the benefit of large talents and wide experience chiefly as a patriotic duty. There cannot be too frequent or generous recognition of the country's public men who thus generally sacrifice their personal interests in order to follow their convictions of public duty."

In a brief address Schwab predicted a long period of prosperity and added that "nowhere would that prosperity be so marked as in that great workshop in that great basin—the keystone state."

"We are facing a tremendous trend of affairs," he said, "an area of prosperity that will not be a flash in the pan, but which will remain with us for a long time."

NEGRO ROBBED AND SLAIN; WHITE MAN FOUND SHOT DIES

Latter Makes Conflicting Statements Before Death; Revolver in Hand of Dead Negro.

Dawson Newburn, 42 years old, a negro of 1216 Division avenue, East St. Louis, was found dead, with a bullet over his heart, on East Broadway, east of Sixteenth street, shortly before midnight Friday, and James Overby, 23, a white man, of 1723 Kansas avenue, was found with bullet wounds in the abdomen and the right arm, in front of 1611 East Broadway. Overby died at St. Mary's Hospital at 8:30 o'clock last night.

Overby, when questioned by the police, made conflicting statements, once saying he was pursued by a man who fired at him, and at another time telling he was wounded by shots from the revolver of one of two men who were dueling.

Newburn had been robbed of about $25, which he had just received as his week's wages, having been on his way from work when he was killed, and a watch and a watch fob, made of a $10 gold piece, also were missing. A revolver was found in Newburn's hand but no other weapon was discovered in the vicinity.

Two Other Auto Bus Passengers Hurt Near Chehalis, Wash. Man and Woman in Auto Killed.

By the Associated Press.

HENRYVILLE, Ind., Dec. 20.—Martin Michelson, 43 years old, and Miss Stella Nofrey, 32, were killed at a crossing south of here tonight when a fast Pennsylvania train struck the automobile, in which they were returning from Louisville.

CONGRESS TAKES HOLIDAY RECESS; BIG TASKS AHEAD

Three of Nine Supply Bills Passed by House and Two Important Measures Get Senate's Approval.

MUSCLE SHOALS PROBLEM TO FORE

Early in January Upper House Will Act Upon President's Veto of the Postal Pay Bill.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Congress quit work today for the Christmas holidays, after setting up what leaders regard as a good record of legislative accomplishment in the first three weeks of its present short session.

Three of the nine annual supply bills were passed by the House and sent to the Senate, where committees have completed consideration of one of them and are well advanced with the work on a second one.

The Senate passed two important measures left over from the last session—the $100,000,000 bill for modernizing the battle fleet and the construction of eight additional light cruisers, and the $186,000,000 deficiency bill, carrying funds for putting the soldiers' bonus into operation, and enacting a new reclamation policy.

War Debt Settlements.

In addition, Congress approved the war debt settlements with Poland and Lithuania and sent to the President a resolution appropriating $100,000 for use in curbing the European fowl plague and other poultry diseases.

Four new liquor treaties—those with France, Canada, the Netherlands and Panama—were ratified by the Senate, and a number of measures of minor importance were passed by each house.

After the holiday recess, the House will turn to a fourth appropriation bill, that for the Postoffice and Treasury, while the Senate will continue consideration of the Muscle Shoals question. Early in January it will act on the President's veto of the postal employes' salary increase bill, and after Muscle Shoals is put out of the way it will take up the Isle of Pines treaty under a unanimous consent agreement for final action on this controversy with Cuba, which has been pending for 20 years.

Senate's Program Indefinite.

Beyond action on these matters and appropriations, the Senate's program is indefinite. Outlining that for the House after the holidays, Representative Longworth of Ohio, the Republican leader, said that, while supply measures would continue to have the right of way, the $53,000,000 rivers and harbors bill might be reached soon after Jan. 1. The majority leader also said that the McFadden bill, permitting national banks to establish branches, might be taken up some time during January.

Complimenting his colleagues on the dispatch with which he said business had been transacted thus far this season, Longworth said that within his service of 20 years no House had made the record of passing three of the regular supply bills before the Christmas recess.

"It is an illustration," he said, "of the good feeling existing in the House on both sides of the aisles and the confidence the men have in its appropriations committee. House members have put the public business ahead of their personal interest, and have well earned a rest."

Army of Workers Striving to Free City of Ice Fetters

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der the conditions was listening in on the radio—for those whose aerials did not break under the ice. Cross-word puzzles gave way to querulous words about the weather.

St. Louis streets are clogged with wires, poles and branches in some places, but the city did not suffer general cessation of electric, telephone or trolley service.

Christmas mail, and other mail, is accumulating here because the railroads are unable to move it, and likewise Christmas gifts intended for St. Louisans doubtless are held up elsewhere.

The money loss that the elements have caused the public utilities cannot be told now, but it is great, running into many thousands of dollars.

Nature, it is said, offer compensation for its acts. This time, to make up for the devastation and inconveniences it caused, it offers rare spectacles of beauty which once were trees, poles and wires, but which now are fairyland objects, glistening in their sheaths of ice. In the parks and country nature appears as a veritable 'tinsel Christmas card.

Details of the effects of the storm and of the progress of repairs follow:

Deaths and Relief.

Walter Washington, 96 years old, a negro, was found dead, and his wife, Mary, 85, critically ill, from exposure in their barren home at 4306 Maffitt avenue, yesterday morning. A small coal stove, their only heater, contained only embers. Washington had worked for the city as a street cleaner for 50 years. His wife is at city hospital No. 2.

William Richards, 60, a street laborer, of 4624 Enright avenue, whose body was found under the Illinois end of McKinley Bridge early Friday, died of exposure and exhaustion, a Coroner's jury at Madison held.

The Municipal Lodging House gave shelter and meals to 810 men Friday night and was filled again last night. The police opened their 14 district stations to homeless wayfarers for warmth at night and coffee and rolls. Relief agencies of some sort are no farther away from the destitute than the nearest policeman.

Trains.

Train service remained partly paralyzed yesterday and railroad officers were unable to follow the movement of those trains that did feel their way over the lines, to a great extent. Accurate dispatching became impossible when the railroad wires went down, and the freezing of switches and signals made every terminal a problem.

A considerable number of trains were annulled or consolidated with others, both arriving and departing here. Many trains were hours late when they did arrive. For instance, a Chicago & Alton nonstop train that was due to leave Chicago at 11:59 p. m. Friday and reach here at 7:43 a. m. yesterday, reached Washington Avenue Station about 2 p. m. and passengers were requested to alight there, as were passengers of other trains passing that station.

Departure of numerous trains was delayed solely because they could not exist until the equipment for them arrived on other trains and underwent unavoidable inspection.

The Missouri Pacific announced a temporary use of Tower Grove Station as a terminal for its throught trains, to avoid the yard congestion.

Telephones.

The storm left the telephone system with but one operating long-distance line out of St. Louis, running to New York. However, by yesterday nine circuits were in operation, as follows: Two to New York, two to Pittsburg, one each to Chicago (by a circuitous route), Indianapolis, Nashville, Tenn.; Murphysboro, Ill., and Herrin, Ill. It was hoped to have 40 circuits to places east of here open by today.

Telephone officials are hopeful of having service in the St. Louis metropolitan district generally restored within several days, but are not quite so optimistic about general restoration of long-distance service. In St. Louis at least 1000 poles and 12,000 feet of cable were broken down and 8000 telephones put out of commission. St. Charles, Ferguson, Valley Park, Eureka, Alton and Edwardsville are cut off from the city. Local damage to the telephone system is estimated at $300,000 and damage is widespread throughout Missouri, Arkansas, Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas, comprising the territory of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co.

Trolley Lines and Busses.

With more than 1000 men engaged in repair work on County street car lines since Thursday, Superintendent of Transportation Butler announced last night that all lines were operating except four—The St. Charles line, the Florissant line, the Meramec-Manchester line west of Gever loop, and the Clayton-Log Cabin line west of Clayton.

By this morning, Butler said, the Meramec line will be open through to Meramec Highlands, by noon the St. Charles line will run to St. Charles bridge, and the Clayton and Florissant lines are expected to be open before nightfall. St. Charles bridge is so thickly coated with ice that there is little possibility of cars running over it before Monday, Butler said.

Lines which resumed operations yesterday after being idle since the storm broke are: Creve Coeur line; Manchester line from Kirkwood to Geyer loop; Midland line; and Creve Coeur line. The damage, caused mostly by wires and poles falling under the weight of ice, could not be estimated by street railway officials today.

The People's Motorbus Co. grabbed an opportunity yesterday by advertising that their busses had continued to run in spite of the severe handicaps, and that no line was without service.

Trains of the Illinois Traction System now run to Staunton, with service from that point north and east at a standstill. These lines probably will not be opened until tomorrow or Tuesday. According to W. Z. Duncan, trainmaster, poles and wires are down everywhere along the line and he has been unable to communicate with many points on the line. A short line from St. Louis to Hillsboro has been idle since the storm, and Duncan could not say when it would resume.

Telegraph.

Western Union wires, with the exception of those to small towns within a radius of 150 miles, are reported in fair shape. Messages to New York, Chicago, Kansas City and points south go through with little delay, and Jefferson City is reached by relay through Kansas City. The Postal Telegraph Co. established communication yesterday with New York and Chicago by way of Memphis and Birmingham, and with Kansas City by way of Dallas, Tex. They had 300 men at work yesterday to clear the wire to Jefferson City.

News.

The Associated Press last night had two exclusive wires to New York, one a through wire, and the other a relay via Memphis and Atlanta. Yesterday there was one leased wire between here and Chicago, which was used by the Associated Press and other press associations as their only source for national and international news. Friday night the Associated Press borrowed a Pennsylvania Railroad wire for three hours to receive news from Chicago and a Louisville & Nashville wire to receive news from Nashville, Tenn.

Electric Service.

Restoration of electric service generally in Webster Groves, Kirkwood and the Meramec Valley, the district which suffered most from the storm, is predicted for some time between noon and midnight today by Louis H. Egan, president of the Union Electric Light and Power Co. This territory is served by a main electric line running out the Olive Street road, two miles of which line, including poles and wires, went down under the weight of ice. In the city, service is about normal except for a few isolated instances.

Mail.

Tons of outgoing Christmas parcels are stacked in the Union Station subway awaiting trains, because of the disorganization of schedules by the cold wave. With virtually no mail being received from the North and West and little from the East, the prospects are that many Christmas gifts will be late in delivery. Superintendent of Mails Prange is prepared to put on 650 temporary clerks as soon as the Christmas parcels begin to arrive.

Food and Fuel.

While produce men and wholesale grocers are receiving practically no shipments, they see little danger of a food shortage. Warehouse stocks, they point out, are sufficient to supply all the city's wants for more than a week, and railroad traffic is expected to be normal before that time.

Many persons who found their coal supplies exhausted with the advent of near-zero weather, are experiencing difficulty in getting prompt deliveries. The dealers' troubles are not due to a shortage of coal but to slippery streets which make hauling difficult. Wholesale dealers said there were between 60,000 and 80,000 tons of coal stored in the city against just such an emergency as the present cold wave.

Autos.

The Automobile Club of Missouri reported at noon yesterday that 600 calls for service had been received since Thursday night. Frozen radiators and chilled ignition systems were the chief troubles of the motorists.

Fire Alarms.

Eight hundred alarm boxes of a total of 1800 were out of commission yesterday, as a result of the storm. Fire Chief Panzer requests that those who turn in an alarm make it doubly sure by telephoning the Fire Department at Main 113 or Main 133.

Kirkwood's Water Supply.

The 5000 residents of Kirkwood are dependent on wells and cisterns for their water supply, with the new water system disabled because of the disrupted electric power service. By this afternoon Union Electric officials expect to have the service restored.

Missouri Utilities.

The aggregate of damage to public utility properties in Missouri is likely to be $1,000,000 or more, officials of the Missouri Committee for Public Utility Information estimated today. The damage is mainly to rural electric transmission wires serving about 200 Missouri towns.

IN SANTA CLAUS ENCHANTED LAND

By PAUL Y. ANDERSON,
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

Railroad passengers to and from St. Louis are traversing an enchanted country since Thursday night's ice storm.

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The necessity for starting Missouri Pacific passenger trains from Tower Grove Station, and terminating inbound trains there, because of adverse weather conditions, having passed, *all trains, both inbound and outbound, have resumed the use of Union Station.*

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Scenes at

Marooned Travel Station Waiting

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"No wire," is the one reply that pretty well fits all questions being asked by the thousands of marooned travelers and information seekers who have thronged Union Station day and night since the descent of the ice storm Thursday night. It is posted on the bulletin boards and spoken at the information windows almost as fast as the clerks can talk. Having received it, the inquirer goes back to his seat—if somebody hasn't grabbed it during his absence—and waits. Pretty soon he returns, asks the same question, gets the same reply and waits some more. It is about the only bit of routine connected with traveling that hasn't been upset by the crippling of the railroads.

The departure of several hastily made up trains yesterday went far toward relieving the crowded condition of the waiting rooms and midway, but Friday night when the situation was at its worst, the station presented a scene that Terminal officials declare has not been approached since the tieup occasioned by the shopmen's strike in 1922.

5000 Assembled in Station.

According to numerous estimates, fully 5000 persons were assembled in the place, and most of them remained there all night. The waiting rooms, seats and standing space, were jammed to capacity with a considerable overflow into the cold midway. The parcel rooms, restaurants and picture show did a record business and the information clerks were besieged both by travelers trying to get out and anxious local residents there to meet somebody trying to get in. About all the information the clerks could give either was that there was no information about the arrival of trains and consequently couldn't be any about the departure of any because those going out had to be made up largely from equipment from those coming in.

With the crippling of the telegraph lines by the ice, it was explained, the trains simply had to proceed as far as their orders carried them and then take a sidetrack and wait for further instructions or "limp" in as best they could, "feeling their way" as they came. Schedules were entirely abandoned. Whether a train was only one hour or six hours late depended upon where it happened to be when telegraphic communication was cut off. Most trains from the South have been arriving reasonably near scheduled time, but those from the North, Northeast and West have been anywhere from a few hours to a full day behind, and, according to the Terminal officials, some have been lucky to get in at all.

Excitement for Crowds.

Not infrequently Friday night the crowd was thrown into excitement by rumors that a train on this line or that had been "lost." In many cases this was true as far as knowledge of the train's actual location was concerned, but most of these "lost" trains managed to get in sooner or later. Arrivals now and then afforded great relief to anxious parents in the crowd waiting for sons or daughters coming home from schools for the holidays, but increased for a time the strain on the information clerks and

Scenes at Points in St. Louis County After the Great Ice Storm

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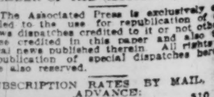

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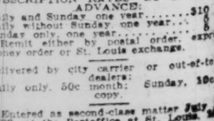

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Marooned Travelers Crowd Station Waiting for Trains

Scenes of Tie-Up by Shopmen's Strike in 1922 Recalled—5000 Persons Were Assembled at One Time.

"No wire," is the one reply that pretty well fits all questions being asked by the thousands of marooned travelers and information seekers who have thronged Union Station day and night since the accident of the ice storm Thursday night. It is posted on the bulletin boards and spoken at the information windows almost as fast as the clerks can talk. Having received it the inquirer goes back to his seat—if somebody hasn't grabbed it during his absence—and waits. Pretty soon he returns, asks the same question, gets the same reply and waits some more. It is about the only bit of routine connected with traveling that hasn't been upset by the crippling of the railroads.

The departure of several hastily made up trains yesterday went far toward relieving the crowded condition of the waiting rooms and midway, but Friday night when the situation was at its worst, the station presented a scene that Terminal officials declare has not been approached since the tieup occasioned by the shopmen's strike in 1922.

5000 Assembled in Station.

According to numerous estimates, fully 5000 persons were assembled in the place, and most of them remained there all night. The waiting rooms, seats and standing space, were jammed to capacity with a considerable overflow into the cold midway. The hotel rooms, restaurants and pic-ture show did a record business and the information clerks were pestered both by travelers trying to get out and anxious local residents there to meet somebody trying to get in. About all the information the clerks could give either was that there was no information about the arrival of trains and consequently couldn't be any about the departure of any because those going out had to be made up largely from equipment from those coming in.

With the crippling of the telegraph lines by the ice, it was explained, the trains simply had to proceed as far as their orders carried them and then take a sidetrack and wait for further instructions or "limp" in as best they could, "feeling their way" as they came. Schedules were entirely abandoned. Whether a train was only one hour or six hours late depended upon where it happened to be when telegraphic communication was cut off. Most trains from the South have been arriving reasonably near scheduled time, but those from the North, Northeast and West have been anywhere from a few hours to a full day behind, and, according to the Terminal officials, some have been lucky to get in at all.

Excitement for Crowds.

Not infrequently Friday night the crowd was thrown into excitement by rumors that a train on this line or that had been "lost." In many cases this was true as far as knowledge of the train's actual location was concerned, but most of these "lost" trains managed to get in sooner or later. Arrivals now and then afforded great relief to anxious parents in the crowd waiting for sons or daughters coming home from schools for the holidays, but increased for a time the strain on the information clerks and station's sheltering facilities.

Each new contingent would rush to the bulletin boards and then the windows, and, getting little satisfaction from either, would finally settle down on a bench or stand up and make the best of the situation.

There was but little serious discomfort in evidence aside from that occasioned by loss of sleep or patience. There was plenty of warmth in the station and plenty of food available in the restaurants. Nobody even had to go out into the cold of the midway to watch the bulletin board. A battery of train callers took care of that. These reminders of former days are still on duty keeping the travelers informed of developments as fast as they are learned by the trainmen themselves. When there are no trains to announce, the callers fill in with such miscellaneous information as might relieve the anxiety or spur the hopes of their listeners.

Will Rogers in Crowd.

Not many of those waiting for a train venture far from the range of the crier's voice. They cling to their benches when they have them and pass the time in reading, writing letters or speculating on the probable period of delay. Students, who comprise a large percentage of the marooned travelers, seem the least depressed by their lot, but express considerable concern lest they fail to arrive home in time to start back to school. Friday night they assembled in groups and seemed to find little trouble in keeping themselves entertained. Sometimes a false alarm of a departing train would send them rushing for the gates; then they would come back to rush again at the slightest provocation, or none at all.

Will Rogers, comedian and after-dinner humorist, who has been appearing in the current Ziegfeld Follies production at New York, was in the Friday night crowd of waiters. He and his son, Jimmy, were en route to Oklahoma where they are going to the bedside of Rogers' sister, who is critically ill. They arrived from the East on a late afternoon train and waited several hours before they were able to depart.

As the hours wore on and still no trains departed, many of the travelers, some with small children, made themselves as comfortable as they could on such beds as the benches provided. There they dozed intermittently through the night. Not many ventured to hotels for fear of missing their train when it finally did depart and there was no way of knowing far in advance when this departure was going to occur.

Wire trouble was not the only difficulty with which the Terminal organization had to contend. In fact, in numerous instances the delay in getting trains from the Washington avenue station to the Union Station was greater than in getting them from Chicago and equally distant points to East St. Louis. This was due to frozen switches and paralysis of the entire semaphore signaling system by the ice and sleet which filled the controlling machinery as fast as it could be removed.

Salt Put in Switches.

All night Friday and all day yesterday the Terminal force worked constantly placing salt in the switches and burning hundreds of barrels of oil to thaw out the rigid semaphores. Late yesterday a greater part of the system, which governs a vast area of yards and switches leading to the 32 tracks in the train shed, was again in working order, and trains were able to make their way into shed at something approaching normal speed.

Yesterday morning, however, passengers on incoming trains from the East were advised to get off at Washington avenue to avoid delays of two hours or more in the yards after they were in sight of the station.

While the entire situation is rapidly improving, Terminal officials said no regular schedules could be followed until the telegraph lines are again in working order. As long as the wires are down incoming trains are bound to be late and as long as they are late, departures will be late because this terminal like all others, has no reserve equipment, and outgoing trains must be made up of locomotives and coaches from those arriving.

7 KILLED, 3 MISSING, IN DINING CAR'S PLUNGE INTO RIVER

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river so firmly that its rear remained well above the surface of the water.

All the trucks remained in sight and the slant of the car brought two rear windows above the line of the water, affording life-saving egress for many occupants of the car.

Within a half hour the gates of the Wisota dam, three miles upstream, had been closed and the water thus was lowered nearly two feet at the scene of the wreck, greatly expediting rescue work.

Meanwhile the passengers were doing all they could to help one another to safety, while firemen rushed to the scene and lowered ladders from the bridge and brought rowboats into play.

Negro Aids in Rescue.

Out of one of the exposed windows crawled Sam Curtis, the negro steward from St. Paul. Drenched and freezing, he remained atop the bottom of the car, aiding as he could in the rescue work, refusing to leave for the hospital until everyone in sight had been removed.

Two men sought to gain the safety of the not distant shore by swimming, according to eye witnesses, but the 120 feet of icy water intervening sapped their strength and they went down. Henderson was one of them and his body was recovered later. The identity of his companion is not known.

To facilitate the rescue work a line was run from shore to the partly submerged car and to this a raft was anchored, the base of operations for the rescuers. The coach is nearly in the middle of the river, which is about a city block wide at this point.

When the firemen and other helpers had reached the car, most of the passengers still alive had been aided to the safety of the upturned bottom of the rear end of the coach and their drenched clothing had become an ice casing before they reached the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Necker of Moosejaw, Saskatchewan, who were traveling with Henderson, had sought seats in the observation car and were unable to obtain them, being forced to go to the forward coach.

The trestle is a single track affair and workmen soon had it in shape to permit trains to pass. Wrecking trains were sent from Minneapolis and Stevens Point, Wis.

A story of the accident was told by Prof. Spencer, whose daughter, six months old, was drowned.

"My wife was in another part of the car eating lunch. I was holding Barbara in my arms. Suddenly there was a slight jar and then a jumping of the coach. I knew the car was off the rails. I shouted to the porter to jerk the air brakes. He started running for the end of the car. We were on the bridge and I saw the river below. The car seemed to leap upward, then down. The water rushed up and it was black to me before an instant. I felt myself struggling in the water. I was searching for the baby—I could not find her. I crawled out of the window and was taken ashore. My wife was rescued too."

Father and Daughter Killed.

By the Associated Press.

SCHUYLKILL HAVEN, Pa., Dec. 20.—George Morris Deltzler, 42 years old, and his 12-year-old daughter, Mildred, were killed when the automobile in which they were riding crashed through a guard rail and went down a 50-foot embankment on to the tracks of the Pennsylvania Railroad, a short distance below Landingville, their home, tonight. Shortly after the machine landed on the railroad tracks the Pennsylvania Express, from Reading, crashed into the overturned machine.

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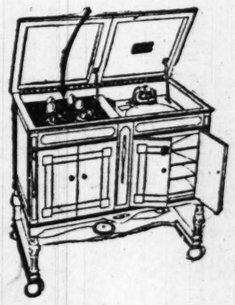

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Men's Golf Hose $2.00 to $9.00	Boys' Neckwear 50c to $1.00
Handkerchiefs 25c to $2.50	Boys' Hose 55c to $3.50
Ladies' Silk Hose $1.65 to $3.50	Jackie Coogan Caps $1.00 to $2.00
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BARGE LINE TO SEEK $3,000,000 FROM CONGRESS

Present Session to Be Asked for Fund — Advisory Board Recommends Total of $5,000,000.

Post-Dispatch Bureau,
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WASHINGTON, Dec. 20. — Although the board of advisers of the Inland Waterways Corporation, the Government agency for operating the Mississippi and Warrior Barges lines, has recommended an appropriation of $5,000,000 for development of the Federal service, only the appropriation of $3,000,000 as approved by President Coolidge last June, will be asked of the present Congress, Gen. T. Q. Ashburn, executive of the corporation, said today.

The expenditure of $5,000,000 was recommended in the report of the board to Secretary of War Weeks, following the board's inspection trip from St. Louis to New Orleans, Mobile and Birmingham. Secretary Weeks made public a summary of the report today. Gen. Ashburn explained that the board was looking far ahead when it recommended the $5,000,000 expenditure and that this sum would not be needed for several years. The immediate concern was to get the $3,000,000 as approved by the President and the budget bureau, he said.

No specific recommendations were made regarding the operations in the St. Louis sector, Gen. Ashburn said, because the board found everything there "in a highly satisfactory condition."

Other recommendations included the acquisition of two light-draft towboats and 20 additional 2000-ton and 40 additional 1000-ton barges for use on the Mississippi between St. Louis and Memphis; the acquisition of 53 steel barges to replace old equipment on the Warrior River, and the initiation of proceedings before the Interstate Commerce Commission for determination of "fair and equitable" water-rail rates through St. Louis, Memphis, Vicksburg, Birmingham and New Orleans.

To Borrow $150,000.

Secretary Weeks also announced that he had authorized the borrowing of $150,000 on the assets of the corporation for administrative expenditures.

"There is no doubt that both the Mississippi and the Warrior sections can be made successful paying common carriers, but an expenditure of $5,000,000, authorized in the law, will be necessary to put both of these lines in such a profitable position that will offer the inducements for the investment of private capital," the summary said.

This recommendation was in line with the statement made by Gen. Ashburn recently when asked regarding the recommendation of President Coolidge to Congress last June for $3,000,000 for the corporation. Representative Henry T. Rainey (Dem.), of Illinois, who has been conferring with Edward F. Goltra of St. Louis, director of the "Goltra barges," declared recently that he would oppose the $3,000,000 appropriation, which as yet has not appeared in any appropriation bill. At that time Gen. Ashburn said that the board would recommend the expenditure of $5,000,000, but explained that he was not free to give the items.

The summary did not state specifically how the $5,000,000 would be spent, but it is assumed that it would be for the purchase of lighter towboats and more barges, as the deep draft towboats, now in use, have frequently run aground between St. Louis and Cairo.

This difficulty was mentioned in the report, for after making the recommendations, the members of the board said "they realized that with the present towboats drawing eight feet and three inches of water when fueled with oil and seven feet six inches when not loaded, there were periods of the year when a channel sufficiently deep does not exist for continuous operation. And that a successful period of nine months may be utterly wiped out by inability to navigate the stream for a period of one month."

Acquisition of two light draft towboats to operate over that portion of the river where this difficulty occurs would obviate such losses, the summary said.

For the Warrior River, besides the replacement of the old equipment the board recommended the conversion of a self-propelled barge into an oil burner and packet carrier, the installation of packet service on this river and the rebuilding and modernization of terminals at Birmingham and Tuscaloosa, Ala. The board also studied means of getting into Birmingham through Birmingham Port to avoid the present divisions which are said to handicap the barge line.

Testified to Alibi for Forbes

MISS EDNA BREESE.

MISS EDNA BREESE, a Veterans' Bureau stenographer, came to the front with an unexpected alibi for former Director Charles R. Forbes and John W. Thompson, St. Louis contractor, who are on trial at Chicago charged with conspiring to defraud the Government on veterans' hospital contracts.

One of the principal counts in the conspiracy charge is that Thompson paid $10,000 to Elias H. Mortimer, the notorious "fixer," in a bathroom in the Drake Hotel, Chicago, and that Mortimer passed $5000 of the money to Forbes in the same place a few minutes later. The Government charges that the payment was a bribe, committed to get the Northampton foundation contract awarded to Thompson and James W. Black. Miss Breese testified that she was typing in the suite at the time Mortimer said the money was received and divided, and that she saw neither of the three men there. She was positive that no gay party of the sort described by Mortimer could have been in progress without her knowledge.

DENIES HYDE'S RIGHT TO CUT FIRE INSURANCE RATES

Referee in Injunction Suit Brought by Companies Rules Against State Insurance Head.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 20.—An opinion denying the right of Ben C. Hyde, State Insurance Superintendent, to enforce his order reducing fire insurance rates in Missouri 10 per cent, has been prepared for filing in the Cole County Circuit Court here by former Supreme Judge John I. Williamson, referee appointed by the court to take the testimony in an injunction suit brought by the insurance companies to restrain Hyde from putting the order into effect.

Williamson's opinion, which is in the form of a report based on the evidence and the law in the case, holds against the State in every important point involved in the case, and holds that Hyde's order was unreasonable, confiscatory and void, and recommends that the temporary injunction against him should be made permanent.

Hyde's attorneys may file exceptions to the report. If the report is finally upheld by Circuit Judge Westhues the State will be liable for all the costs of the case, estimated at nearly $100,000. So far it has expended the greater part of $40,000 appropriated by the Legislature for Hyde's attorneys, former Attorney-General Barker and Floyd E. Jacobs of Kansas City, who were employed after Attorney-General Barrett had advised Hyde that he was proceeding improperly, and that he must retrace his steps and start the proceeding anew if he expected it to be successful, the initial steps having been taken without consultation with the Attorney-General.

Accepts Leahy's Argument.

In the report Williamson held unconstitutional a section of the insurance law passed by the last Legislature at Hyde's request and in an attempt to provide legal authority for the action previously taken by Hyde in reducing the rates. This section sought to give the Insurance Superintendent the power to consider the profits made by insurance companies from their investments in determining the question of the reasonableness of rates.

Only stock insurance companies were affected by Hyde's rate reduction ruling, no order affecting rates of reciprocals having been issued by the department under his direction.

Williamson reported he found from the evidence that in the five-year period from 1917 to 1921, which was taken by Hyde as the experience period justifying the reduction, that fire insurance companies lost $7,010,200 on their Missouri business, and that if the Hyde order had been in effect during that period they would have suffered an additional loss of $7,134,751.

In reaching this conclusion, Williamson accepted the argument of John S. Leahy, one of the attorneys representing the insurance companies, as to the proper method of figuring profits in the insurance business, and rejected the accounting system contended for by Hyde and his attorneys.

It was contended by Hyde that all the premiums written during the five-year period should be taken and that only the losses paid and reasonable expenses paid should be deducted to arrive at the earnings. The companies contended the proper system was to consider only the earned premiums of the period and the losses and expenses incurred during the period.

Cites Many Authorities.

Williamson cited many authorities to sustain the insurance companies' position.

In addition to the decision on the rate question, the important points in the report were the rulings holding the new statute unconstitutional, and also holding unconstitutional a new law permitting the court to modify the order of the superintendent, that is making it possible for the court to order some other reduction than the 10 per cent ordered by the superintendent. Williamson held that the court had no power to make insurance rates, and that the superintendent's order could only be upheld or rejected.

Hyde has had a stormy time in his efforts to force a reduction in the rates of stock insurance companies. His first order was in January, 1922, when he ordered a 15 per cent reduction. A legal tangle arose and he withdrew the order, issuing the one now declared illegal by the Williamson report. When a temporary injunction was granted by Judge Westhues in this case, Hyde issued another 15 per cent reduction order. Judge Westhues ordered him held in contempt of court, but never has imposed a penalty.

The remaining steps in the present case include a decision by Judge Westhues, either upholding the Williamson report or sustaining exceptions to it. In either case the losing side may appeal to the Supreme Court.

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JUDGE HOMER EXPLAINS $5 FINE IN STOCKMAN CASE

Defendant's Previous Record of Traffic Arrests Was Not Sent to His Court.

Police Judge William B. Homer yesterday sent to the Post-Dispatch a statement on the case of Joseph Stockman, whom he fined $5 for driving his automobile through the street car safety zone at Twelfth Boulevard and Washington avenue.

As was told Tuesday, the case was Stockman's tenth arrest for a traffic offense. This fact, however, was not known to Judge Homer at the time. Judge Homer has since ...

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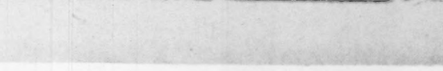

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ROBE HOMER EXPLAINS $5 FINE IN STOCKMAN CASE

Defendant's Previous Record of Traffic Arrests Was Not Sent to His Court.

Police Judge William B. Homer yesterday sent to the Post-Dispatch a statement on the case of Joseph Stockman, whom he fined $5 for driving his automobile through the street car safety zone at Twelfth boulevard and Washington avenue. As was told Tuesday, the case was Stockman's tenth arrest for a traffic offense. This fact, however, was not known to Judge Homer at the time. Judge Homer has since obtained Stockman's record, showing that none of the previous charges against Stockman was heard by him, except in one case where there was a dismissal without Stockman's appearing in court. The police usually send previous records of defendants in such cases to the police court, but this was not done in Stockman's case, and Judge Homer, not having seen the defendant before, had no means of knowing of the previous cases.

The cases extend back for four years, and the record shows that Stockman was twice fined $20 and costs by Judge Mix, and twice paid costs before Judge Matthews. In two cases there was dismissal, and in three cases no record of disposition appears.

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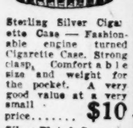

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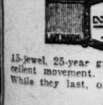

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MRS. MATHEWS' ALIMONY PLEA IS HEARD HERE

She Is Seeking $500 Monthly From Harry B. Mathews Pending Outcome of His Divorce Suit.

A motion for an allowance of $500 a month as alimony pending the outcome of the suit for divorce filed by Harry B. Mathews, vice president and general manager of the Mississippi Lime and Material Co. of Alton, against Maria McKenna Mathews, was heard before Judge Granville Hogan, in Court of Domestic Relations, yesterday. Suit was filed April 28 last, and followed closely a suit for separate maintenance brought by Mrs. Mathews.

In her testimony yesterday Mrs. Mathews said that her husband had not supported her for more than five years and that at present she is without income of any sort, her half interest in a trust fund of $500,000 left by her father, the late Edward W. McKenna, one time vice president of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad, having been cut off when the estate was thrown into litigation last September.

Testimony as to Income.

She said that Mathews owned a half of the stock of the Mississippi Lime and Material Co., and drew a salary of $500 a month. Besides this, she testified, he holds valuable land in and around Alton. From this wealth, she maintained, could easily be deducted alimony of $500 a month for her and a fee of $2500 for her attorney and $1500 suit money, for which she also petitions.

In answering testimony to the motion, Mathews said that he did make a salary of $500 a month, but denied that he owned half of the stock of his company, contending that he controlled only 65 shares and that most of these were pledged in loans. He said that his only other investments were a few bonds, and that he had no money in the bank. He gave his address as the Missouri Athletic Association.

Mathews' petition for divorce charges desertion and general indignities, while his wife, in her suit for separate maintenance, accuses him with having associated with other women, making special mention of a "Countess Verona," with whom, she alleges, he corresponded. They were married 14 years ago and separated Feb. 2, 1918.

Mathews obtained a divorce from his wife at Edwardsville in January, 1922, but the decree was later set aside by an Appellate Court, on Mrs. Mathews' motion.

TWO WOMEN AND GIRL HURT BY FALLS ON SIDEWALKS

One Suffers Fractured Leg While Others Are Bruised on Icy Pavements.

Mrs. Samuel T. Bassett, 43 years old, No. 2 Beverly place, is in Missouri Baptist Sanitarium with a broken right leg and bruises suffered Friday when she fell on an ice-coated sidewalk at 314 North Sixth street.

Mrs. Mary Vito, 39, of 1114A Biddle street, and Bernice Iseman, 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Iseman, 3123A North Twelfth street, were injured in falls yesterday.

Fred Horner, 12, of 5842 Julian avenue, was slightly bruised when thrown from a sled struck by a motor car driven by Clarence Smith, 5568 Page boulevard.

DOROTHY GISH'S HUSBAND PAYS $12,900 CUSTOMS FINE

Screen Actress Then Gets Her Undeclared Jewels, Worth $8500, Back From Authorities.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Jewelry worth $8500, belonging to Dorothy Gish, motion-picture actress, which was seized by customs officials on her arrival here from Europe last month, were returned to her husband, James Rennie, today, after he had sent to the Collector Customs a check for $12,900.

Rennie said that he had forgotten to list the jewelry on his wife's declaration blank which he filled out for her at the time he made his own, and accepted full responsibility for the omission. The difference between the value of the jewels and the amount paid for their redemption represented the duties plus the penalty imposed by the Government, customs men said.

Rules 'Movies' Must Pay Royalties.

By the Associated Press.

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 20.—Motion picture houses and theaters must pay royalties to composers or publishers when they use any portion of a copyrighted song or air during their programs or performances, according to an opinion rendered today by Judge John Rose of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals.

Nicaragua Detains Hondurans.

By the Associated Press.

MANAGUAY, Nicaragua, Dec. 20.—Generals Carlos Lagos and Ernesto Alvarado and other former Honduran officials, who are detained in Managua, must report to the police authorities of the city daily, being designated as revolutionists. Gen. Lagos denies any intent to foment a revolution.

TESTIFIES SHE IS WITHOUT ANY INCOME

Mrs. Marie McKenna Mathews.

SEEKS $351 FOR BOARD FURNISHED RELATIVES

Oscar A. Clennin Files Claim Against Estate of His Mother-in-Law.

Whether Oscar A. Clennin of 4035 Fountain avenue, is entitled to compensation for board and lodging of out-of-town relatives of his mother-in-law, who visited at his home while she was lying there, is to be determined by Probate Judge Holtcamp in a claim against the estate of the mother-in-law, Mrs. Martha Largent.

The claim, which was filed by Clennin and is for $351.79, has been taken under advisement. It is contended that the relatives were attracted to the Clennin home by Mrs. Largent and were her guests, not being there by special invitation of the claimant and his wife. The visitors included children of Mrs. Largent, as well as a brother and his wife, accompanied by their chauffeur and the latter's companion. The visitors stayed for days and weeks at a time, the petition asserts.

At $12-a-Week Rate.

The bill of the son-in-law was rendered on a valuation of board and lodging at $12 a week during a period covering intervals between December, 1921, and August, 1923.

Armin C. Beste, attorney for the petitioner, argued at the trial that his client was entitled to reimbursement. According to testimony of Mrs. Clennin, her mother promised to pay for any expense incurred in the home on account of frequent visits of relatives to see her, but she died before she could make adjustment of the matter. Mrs. Clennin said other relatives lived here to whose homes the visitors might have gone, but they always came to her house because she had more room to accommodate them.

One Brought a Beefsteak.

Answering counsel of the estate, Mrs. Clennin denied the guests came purposely to see her. She also denied they brought their own provisions. One even fussed because he was asked to pay a milk bill after a several weeks' stay, she said. She admitted that occasionally some of the visitors brought delicacies and that one time one of them furnished a beefsteak.

Mrs. Largent was injured fatally a year ago in a revolving door of an office building in Chicago, where she was visiting. She did not leave a will, and her estate, which is valued at $1300, is being administered by a daughter, Mrs Mabel Hudson, of this city.

Manufacturers Win Antitrust Case.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—Producing 35 witnesses in support of their contention that indictments charging violation of the Sherman Antitrust act returned against them in Cleveland were unfounded, three malleable iron casting manufacturers today won their fight against removal to Cleveland to face trial. The contention of the manufacturers, H. C. Warner and J. R. Stenick of Chicago and F. C. Rutz of Rockford, Ill., was upheld by Commissioner James R. Glass, who heard the evidence. More than forty other manufacturers of malleable iron castings are under similar indictments in Cleveland.

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Taxi Load of Stolen Books Found.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Charged with theft of numerous rare volumes and manuscripts, George Lanizar-Ugarta, 25, an employe of the South American division of the Public Library here was arrested today. He was employed three years ago after his arrival here from Ecuador, to catalogue South American maps and books. The police said enough of the library's treasures to fill a taxicab were found in the prisoner's room. They also found a number of paintings that had been cut from their frames, they said, but these were not library property.

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PROTEST TO COOLIDGE ON PORTO RICAN RULE

Citizens' Committee Charges Frauds in Elections and Will Seek Inquiry by Congress.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Charging gross frauds, violence and corruption in the last elections, and that Porto Rico, by maladministration, has been reduced to a state of bankruptcy, a Citizens' Committee of natives has petitioned President Coolidge and is preparing to ask Congress for an investigation.

As the first move, Coll Cuchi, former Speaker of the Porto Rican House of Representatives, has protested to the President against the forthcoming issue of Porto Rican bonds. Detailed charges of the alleged election frauds are to be included in the memorial to Congress.

The protest before the President deals mainly with the condition of the island's finances and alleged waste of public money, giving an accounting as far back as 1900 to show that millions of dollars in favorable trade balances have been gradually reduced until in 1924 an unfavorable balance occurred for the first time in 15 years. The protestants also assert that the island budget was increased $6,000,000 in the past two years compared with the previous biennial period, and that for the first time in Porto Rico's history it was necessary, in order to balance the 1924 budget, to borrow $2,000,000 and draw upon the island's trust fund for more than $900,000.

Object to Sale of Bonds.

"No bonds should be sold, no more debts should be incurred by the island," the protest asserts, "until our claims are heard and investigated. This criminal expenditure of the people's money should be promptly ended."

The document questions the accuracy of statements in the Governor's annual report which explains increases in the budgets for 1923 and 1924 as due to the fact that in 1922, no money was spent on public works, road extension or maintenance, nor were necessary public buildings constructed or necessary repairs made. This was termed by Cuchi "a misstatement of the truth" because, he says, the roads and public works of Porto Rico "are not paid from the budget, but from separate appropriations and loan issues."

Expenses Enumerated.

Some of the items the protest charges were responsible for the increased budgets are $58,875 in 1923 and $74,150 in 1924 for upkeep of the Governor's residences and office; increase in salary of the Governor's secretary from $2500 to $4500, the latter figure exceeding by $500 the salary fixed for the executive secretary of the island in the organic act of Congress and $2000 each for the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate for purchase, operation and maintenance of an automobile.

Compared with 1920 and 1921 when the cost of living was high and there was a favorable trade balance of more than $70,000,000, the budgets for 1923 and 1924 were increased, the protest declares, by $6,000,000, notwithstanding that in 1923 there was a favorable trade balance of only $10,348,545, the smallest in 10 years, and in 1924 a balance against the island of $1,288,751.

Ex-Gov. Campbell Buried.

By the Associated Press.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 20.—James E. Campbell, thirty-eighth Governor of Ohio, called by Gov. Donahey "the beloved dean of Ohio Democracy," was buried here today. Eighty-one years old, Campbell for more than three decades had been an outstanding figure in the political life of Ohio. He died Wednesday evening at his home, after returning from a banquet, at which, during the course of an address, he expressed the thought that he would live to be 100 years old. The honorary pallbearers included Gov. Donahey, Newton D. Baker, former Secretary of War; Judson Harmon, former Governor, and James M. Cox, former Governor.

Christmas Party Today at Pine Lawn.

St. Paul's auditorium, at Pine Lawn, will be the scene of a Christmas party for 100 needy children in St. Louis County at 2 p. m. today. The children will witness a movie show, and receive gifts of clothing, toys and candy. The party is being conducted by the Santa Cruz Circle, Daughters of Isabella.

ACTRESS BRIDE OF AN ENGLISH ACTOR

RUTH CHATTERTON.

RUTH CHATTERTON, MUSICAL COMEDY STAR, A BRIDE

Weds Ralph Forbes, Actor Who Makes Love to Her in "The Magnolia Lady."

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Ruth Chatterton, musical comedy star in "The Magnolia Lady," and Ralph Forbes, English actor, who makes ardent love to her in the comedy, were married at noon today in the Church of the Beloved Disciple. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. George R. Vandewater. The couple were attended by Commander Reginald H. H. Venable, U. S. N., and Miss Auriel Lee. The bride was given away by her mother, Lillian Reed.

In the application for the license, issued last night, Miss Chatterton gave her age as 28 years. She was born in New York City. Forbes, who is 24, came to America several months ago in the English war play, "Havoc." Recently he joined the cast of "The Magnolia Lady." Almost immediately Broadway noted that his attentions to Miss Chatterton were not confined to their stage appearances.

The guests at the ceremony included Fay Bainter, Chester Hale, Richard Gallagher, Hassard Short, Lee Shubert and Harry Levey.

TRAPPER, SOUGHT FOR KILLING WOMAN IN CABIN, ARRESTED

Tony Reamer Taken Into Custody at Home of His Father at Stewart, Minn.

By the Associated Press.

GLENCOE, Minn., Dec. 20.—Tony Reamer, a trapper, sought in connection with the death of Mrs. Elsie Wheeler, formerly of Clearwater, Kan., was taken into custody at the home of his father at Stewart late today.

Brought to the county jail here, Reamer declared he had no knowledge of the killing except that which he gave before a Coroner's inquest held in the cabin in Northern Minnesota, where Mrs. Wheeler, a bride of three weeks, was found dead with a butcher knife plunged through her side.

Reamer offered no resistance to Sheriff Klaus and said he was willing to go back to Baudette to aid in solving the woman's death.

The trapper is said by Lake-of-the-Woods County authorities to have been the last man to have seen Mrs. Wheeler alive.

A Coroner's jury returned a verdict of accidental death, but later, after a more thorough investigation, the inquest was reopened and a warrant issued for Reamer, who lived near the scene of Mrs. Wheeler murder.

ISAAC H. COHN LEAVES ENTIRE ESTATE TO WIDOW

Man Who Killed Himself in Car Carried $423,000 Life Insurance, Part Being to Secure Loans.

The entire estate of Isaac H. Cohn, who shot and killed himself in an automobile in Forest Park Tuesday evening, is left to his widow, Ella E. Cohn, in his will, filed yesterday. Mrs. Cohn is named executrix without bond. Cohn, who lived at 726 Eastgate avenue, was president of the North American Electric Lamp Co. and the National Steel Rail Co. His will, written more than five years ago, states that the testator was then sound, mentally and physically.

Albert Arnstein, who was Cohn's attorney, said he could make no estimate of the value of the estate. The total of life insurance policies was $423,500, but some of the policies were pledged to secure loans.

Ad Club to Give Christmas Party.

The Advertising Club of St. Louis will give an elaborate Christmas party Tuesday noon at Hotel Statler. Presents will be given to all in attendance and the program will include carolers from the Municipal Opera chorus, Dave Silverman's orchestra, Washington University banjo quartet, John Hertig, accordionist, Edgar Walsh, tenor, and the Shrine dancers.

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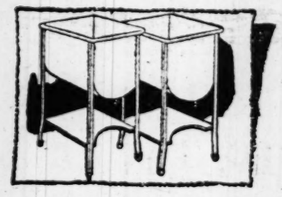

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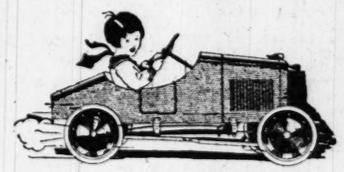

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Discovered in London Slums Nearly Half a Century Ago While Dancing for Itinerant Musician.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Drawing his bow as deftly as his almost frozen fingers would permit, a lean, emaciated boy of 12 played an old Italian aria as he danced before a crowd in Soho 44 years ago Dec. 6. He was a member of an itinerant band of Italian players whose journey led them to London as the British capital was preparing for the Tuletide.

Among the few onlookers, an artist and his friend had stopped, not so much for the music, but for the marvelous face of the dancer. The artist was Philip Moscheles, and the dancing boy Antonio Corsi.

The chance meeting brought fame and fortune to Moscheles. It brought only fame and a bare living to the boy, Corsi. The great Moscheles died wealthy; Corsi died a few days ago in Los Angeles, broken in health and fortune at 56. The same Corsi who had played such an important part in the building up of the fame and wealth of Sir Edward Burne-Jones, Sir Alma Tadema, Lord Frederick Leighton, Sir John Millais, Sir Edward Poynter, Benjamin Gerome, Sir William Richmond, Baron Rosenkranz, John S. Sargeant, Edwin A. Abbey and a score of others.

The same fate that had lifted the boy Corsi from starvation came, however, to his aid when poverty was becoming acute and ended his suffering as he was beginning to descend the hill.

In Dome of St. Peter's.

Millions of persons have seen Antonio Corsi's face looking down upon them in almost every civilized portion of the globe. From the dome of St. Paul's Cathedral in London the angel Gabriel in his magnificent flight from heaven is Corsi transformed by the deft brush of Sir William Richmond. In Windsor Castle The Crucifixion, noted as one of the masterpieces in marble, the Christus is Corsi as he posed for the Princess Louise.

In the Royal Academy in the British capital the other end of Corsi's gift of versatility is demonstrated. Here he is seen as Satan in Felix Moscheles' famous canvas "The Devil in Lord L... Bartering ... Corsi is see... which he f... other as a b...

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ANTONIO CORSI, FAMOUS MODEL OF MANY PAINTINGS, DIED IN POVERTY

Discovered in London Slums Nearly Half a Century Ago While Dancing for Itinerant Musician.

As Central Figure in More Than 1000 Masterpieces, He Posed for Some of World's Greatest Artists.

ANTONIO CORSI.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Drawing his bow as deftly as his almost frozen fingers would permit, a tall, emaciated boy of 12 played an old Italian aria as he danced before a crowd in Soho 44 years ago Dec. 24. He was a member of an itinerant band of Italian players whose journey led them to London as the British capital was preparing for the Yuletide.

Among the few onlookers, an artist and his friend had stopped, not so much for the music, but for the marvelous face of the dancer. The artist was Philip Moscheles, and the dancing boy Antonio Corsi.

The chance meeting brought fame and fortune to Moscheles. It brought only fame and a bare living to the boy, Corsi. The great Moscheles died wealthy; Corsi died a few days ago in Los Angeles, broken in health and fortune at 56.

The same Corsi who had played such an important part in the building up of the fame and wealth of Sir Edward Burne-Jones, Sir Alma Tadema, Lord Frederick Leighton, Sir John Millais, Sir Edward Poynter, Benjamin Gerome, Sir William Richmond, Baron Rosenkranz, John S. Sargeant, Edwin A. Abbey and a score of others.

The same fate that had lifted the boy Corsi from starvation came, however, to his aid when poverty was becoming acute and ended his suffering as he was beginning to descend the hill.

In Dome of St. Peter's.

Millions of persons have seen Antonio Corsi's face looking down upon them in almost every civilized portion of the globe. From the dome of St. Paul's Cathedral in London the angel Gabriel in his magnificent flight from heaven is Corsi transformed by the deft brush of Sir William Richmond. In Windsor Castle The Crucifixion, rated as one of the masterpieces in marble, the Christus is Corsi as he posed for the Princess Louise.

In the Royal Academy in the British capital the other end of Corsi's gift of versatility is demonstrated. Here he is seen as Satan in Felix Moscheles' famous canvas "The Devil." On the same walls in Lord Leighton's "Phoenicians Bartering With Ancient Britons," Corsi is seen in dual roles, one in which he is the seller and in another as a buyer.

Seventy different poses of Corsi appear in Abbey's "The Quest of the Holy Grail," and in each of them the characterization is so deftly done that the identity of the model is apparent in but one of the figures. This decoration is in the Boston Public Library. In the same building in Sargent's "The Story of the Prophets." Corsi again plays a conspicuous part as Hosea and 19 other characters.

Alma Tadema's "The Violinist" is Corsi. He is the central figure in "The Wheel of Fortune." "The Call of Perseus," "The Merciful Knight" and "St. George and the Dragon," the masterpieces of Burne-Jones.

Posed for 1500 Paintings.

"The Slinger" of Leighton was posed by Corsi. For the same artist he appears in "Hit" and "The Golden House." He is "The Forerunner" of Sir John Millais, the boy in "The Spinning Top" of Benjamin Gerome, and the beast in Baron Rosenkranz's "The Beauty and the Beast."

Twenty years ago it was estimated Corsi had posed in more than 1500 noted paintings and that these had been distributed to almost every point of the globe. Aside from the masters, Corsi had been in demand almost 30 years before he gave up the work, and even after coming to this country he made many trips abroad to fill dates in the studios of London, Paris, Berlin and elsewhere.

But the majority of the artists did not pay their models big fees. Corsi's average weekly wages abroad were such that he decided to try the United States, when he heard money was so plentiful. So, in 1900, Corsi came to New York, and New York still remembers his striking appearance.

Small in stature, with the skin of an East Indian, the profile of a Sioux Indian and the bushy black hair of a Kaffir belle, he attracted much attention on the streets. His garb was equally fantastic in its clash of wild westernism, as betokened by a flaunting sombrero given him by Buffalo Bill, and effete aestheticism as shadowed forth by a flambuoyant necktie and velvet coat of the artist. Corsi never forgot he was the greatest male model in the world, and his dignified strut was as measured and poised as that of the most famous tragedian.

Had Hundreds of Costumes.

His home in 42 South Washington Square was a veritable house of curios. Arranged in cases about the room were the 40 magnificent costumes he had worn in an equal number of poses for masterpieces. Hundreds of other costumes were arranged for instant use. These he termed his emergency clothes, meaning they were ready for any demand an artist might make for a special character. Almost every type and style of rapier, sword, dagger and dirk were grouped in clusters about the walls. There was a study of a head from Sir Elwyn Poynter, then president of the Royal Academy; a silk Persian drapery and guitar from Sargent; sketches from Abbey and Burne-Jones and numerous other paintings and drawings from his famous patrons.

On his tables were albums of jetters and notes and photographs and cards from world notables. Most highly treasured were a doll's cradle and a child's cart given to him by Princess Louise.

When Moscheles took the boy Corsi to pose for him the troup of musicians moved on and the Moscheles, having no children of their own, decided to assist the boy and gave him a home. The boy, however, would not accept their hospitality without working and, while he attended night school and mastered four languages, he continued to pose for artists. But the field he had chosen offered little remuneration. The average earnings of the model then abroad was never more than £2 a week, with lunch and supper provided.

His Origin Was Mystery.

When Corsi's fame spread among the artists he became known as the "Man of Mystery" in the studios. He would tell no one of his parentage, and the fact that he had been suddenly introduced by Moscheles served to deepen the mystery of his nativity. Princess Louise invited him to pose for her and they became close friends. He frequently met Queen Victoria and had letters from her and Louise. He posed almost an entire year for his royal patron.

While in New York, in speaking of Princess Louise, Corsi said:

"Queen Victoria was keenly interested in the work of Princess Louise and came almost every day to the studio in the castle, where I was posing for her daughter. The Queen asked me what I thought of the work of the Princess. I replied that 'I liked it very much.' 'But, I dare say, you have seen much better,' Queen Victoria countered. I was so embarrassed I blurted out, 'Yes, your majesty.' She smiled, and I said very quickly, 'but her royal highness is most clever.'"

In 1911 New York was stirred when Philadelphia models broke into print with a demand for 5) cents an hour for their work, and it was found that New York was not paying its models much more. It was then that Corsi's income was exposed.

Got Meager Salaries.

The picturesque long-haired character who had startled even the village with his aristocratic airs admitted that his income had been gradually going downward. It was then shown that the central figure of more than 1000 masterpieces that had brought sums up as high as six figures had seldom made more than fees in two figures a week and frequently only in the one-figure column.

"When I came to New York," said Corsi, in an interview, "in 1900 models were getting $12 a week for work which they now get $6 and $8. For this change we have to blame the amateur model and photographer. There are more than 20 girls here who pose just for the fun of it, or for a few dollars a week. Photographers take not only the face, but they take the drapery and the posture. In London and Paris models are paid $10 a week which is equal to $20 here. But, over there, if a model works a whole day, he gets either his lunches and supper, or an allowance for it. But here, never."

One month later Corsi's physicians ordered him abroad and shortly after that Corsi sold his effects in his Washington Square studio and returned to Italy. His wife and two children accompanied him. After a few years abroad he came back to America, but being unable to stand the climate of New York, went to California where he worked as a model until his health failed completely about a year ago.

MRS. MARY L. CARTER, WIDOW OF THOMAS W. CARTER, DIES

Cerebral Hemorrhage Fatal to 70-Year-Old Invalid; Funeral Monday.

Mrs. Mary Louise Lupton Carter of 5 Portland place, widow of Thomas Whitman Carter, former grain commission broker, died at her home at 4:15 p. m. yesterday from a cerebral hemorrhage. She was 70 years old and had been an invalid for seven years.

She is survived by three children, L. Ray Carter, president of the Carter Commission Co.; C. Roy Carter, with whom she resided, and Mrs. John W. Higgins of Worcester, Mass.

Mrs. Higgins will arrive today to attend the funeral services, which will be held at 2:30 p. m. Monday at the home, with the Rev. Ivan Lee Holt officiating. Burial will be in Bellefontaine Cemetery.

"BROTHER BEN" TO THROW SATAN IN NEW TABERNACLE

Holy Roller Preacher, Former Wrestler, to Dedicate $15,000 Structure Today.

Brother Ben Pemberton of the Pentacostal (Holy Roller) Church has realized the ambition of his life in St. Louis, which was to own a tabernacle. He announced last night to his congregation that he has erected a modern brick building at 4017 Easton avenue, costing $15,000. The dedication will be held today with three services; a luncheon at noon for the congregation and representatives of other Pentacostal churches, evangelical services this afternoon, and special services of rejoicing tonight.

Brother Ben has been well known to St. Louisans for several years as an exponent of acrobatic theology. Before entering the ministry he was a professional wrestler, and at almost every meeting gives demonstrations of the best strangle-holds to get on "old man Satan." His sermons are punctuated with handsprings, and sudden leaps from the platform to run down teh aisle, and perhaps to climb the center tentpole.

The new tabernacle represents the individual efforts of Pemberton during the last few years. Hitherto he has been forced to hold his meetings in tents or rented places. In the new building an inclined floor and spacious aisles will give free play to Ben's gymnastic hallelujas.

HIGHT-SWEETIN CASE MAY REACH JURY CHRISTMAS EVE

Court Orders Night Sessions in Order to Complete Murder Trial Before Holidays.

By the Associated Press.

MOUNT VERNON, Ill., Dec. 20.—The fate of Lawrence M. Hight, former Ina clergyman, and Mrs. Elsie Sweetin, charged jointly with the murder of her husband, Willford Sweetin, will be in the hands of the jury on Christmas eve, if present plans are carried out.

When recess was taken yesterday until Monday, Judge J. C. Kern indicated to the attorneys he would order night sessions next week, if necessary, to get the case completed before Christmas.

When court is resumed Monday, Attorney Nelson B. Layman, representing Hight, will continue his efforts to show that his client is of unsound mind. An insanity plea is not being made, but counsel is attempting to show Hight's mental condition in mitigation of punishment the jury might be disposed to inflict, if the former clergyman were found guilty.

At least one more day is expected to be taken up in testimony as to Hight's mental condition and the State is prepared to introduce some rebuttal testimony directed against portions of the story told by Mrs. Sweetin on the witness stand.

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We will sell for the St. Louis Association of Credit Men the following: Ladies' Coats, Bathrobes, some Silk Wearing Apparel and a small lot of Silk Hose. FIXTURES: Shelving, Triple Dressing Glass, Floor Case, Mirror, Iron Safe, Gas Range, Draperies, Electric Lights, Chairs, Tables and Rockers, Show Stands, Iron Window Guards, Dress Forms, light empty Boxes and Awning. All bids will be subject to the approval of the Trustee, ORVILLE LIVINGSTON, Trustee. TERMS CASH.
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We will sell for the owner the following fixtures: 1 section of Grocery Shelving and Bins, 2 Scales, 1 Cigar Case, 1 three-roll Butter Box, Counters, etc. Also a large assortment of Bank Fixtures, Marbles, etc. TERMS CASH.
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We will sell for the owner, who is retiring from the business, a complete stock of Groceries and Fixtures, consisting of a complete line of Shelf Goods, Tomatoes, Corn, Peas, 200 sacks of Flour, 100 full cases of Groceries, Coffees, Teas, etc. FIXTURES: 1 McCray Display Box, 1 Butcher Box, 1 Dayton Scale, 1 Cigar Case, Counter Case, Coffee Mill, Meat Block, Counters and Shelving. TERMS CASH.
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Reduced Collections Result of 25 Per Cent Reduction in Taxes for 1924.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—The Internal Revenue Bureau announced today that receipts from July 1 to Nov. 30 amounted to $829,576,358.28, compared with $927,781,984.30 for the same period last year. The loss was $98,205,590.02.

While the figures indicate the Treasury is running ahead of its estimate made when the tax reduction bill was being considered, Treasury officials feel collections in January and thereafter will be more interesting, since the latter will show the effect of the new income tax schedules. The reduced collections during this calendar year are the result of the horizontal 25 per cent reduction in taxes for 1924.

The budget for 1926, which forecast a surplus at the end of the fiscal year 1925 of $67,000,000, estimated internal revenue receipts for 1925 at $2,486,325,000. Internal revenue receipts usually are higher during the first half of the calendar, or second half of the fiscal year, due to the heavy March 15 payment period.

Income tax collections for the five months this year were $453,758,074.77, compared with $484,926,717.24 for the same period of 1923. Miscellaneous taxes shrunk to $375,818,311.51 from $442,855,267.06. There was an increase in the tobacco tax and the tax on dues of athletic, social and sporting clubs.

Candidate for Chaplain.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WALNUT RIDGE, Ark.—The Rev. James F. Jernigan of this city is a candidate for chaplain of the House of Representatives at the coming session of the Arkansas General Assembly, it has become known.

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INTIMATES KNEW OF ESTRANGEMENT

Sons and Granddaughters Made Chief Beneficiaries, With $100 Bequests to Six Societies for Flags.

Post-Dispatch Bureau,
20-23 Wyatt Building.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Samuel Gompers had been estranged from his wife for some time as was publicly disclosed today when the will of the late President of the American Federation of Labor was filed here for probate, distributing his estate largely among the children by his former marriage and cutting off his widow with the minimum allowed by the law of the District of Columbia.

The will was dated Nov. 8 and with it was filed an earlier will, dated Sept. 21, 1921, by which the bulk of the estate would have gone to the widow. But this prior document bore across its face in a vigorous hand the words: "I cancel and revoke this will," and the signature of the labor chief.

Might Have Sought Divorce.

The will of later date provides that the "minimum amount allowed by law" is to be paid to Mrs. Gertrude A. Gompers, the widow, and it contained the additional provision that no share in the estate whatever should go to her unless she continued to be "my lawful wedded wife at the time of my demise."

This tended to confirm reports that had death not intervened, Mr. Gompers might have sought a divorce. The estrangement reflected by the will had been known to Gompers' intimates for a considerable period.

The marriage, which took place in 1921, occasioned much surprise. Mr. Gompers was then 71 years old and his bride's age was given as 35. She was Mrs. Gertrude Neuschler of New York.

His last will plainly limits the widow to the dower rights assured to her under the District of Columbia law. It bequeaths $100 each to these six organizations for the purchase of an American flag for each: American Federation of Labor, Cigarmakers' International Cigarmakers' Local No. 144, New York; Dawson Lodge of Masons, Washington, and the New York and Washington Lodges of Elks.

The remainder of the estate is left to his granddaughters, Henrietta and Ethel Mitchell, and to his sons, Samuel J., Henry J. and Alexander J. Gompers, in equal shares. Samuel J. Gompers was named executor.

No Estimate of Estate.

No estimate of the amount of the Gompers estate has as yet been made by the attorneys representing the executor. The two wills, the one repudiated and the other little more than a month old, were found in Gompers' office at the federation headquarters here by Theodore Cogswell, Deputy Register of Wills. That portion of the will which specifically excluded the widow from receiving more than her legally guaranteed share of the estate read:

"After the minimum amount has been set aside and paid to my wife, Gertrude A. Gompers, the minimum amount being that which the law provides, providing said Gertrude A. Gompers is my lawful wedded wife at the time of my demise, but if said Gertrude A. Gompers shall not be my lawful wedded wife at the time of my demise, she shall not receive any part of my estate, whether real, personal or mixed, the whole amount of my estate shall be divided between my heirs whose names appear in this will."

WIDOW OF GOMPERS LEFT MINIMUM SHARE

MRS. GERTRUDE A. GOMPERS

WOMAN FAILS TO CLEAR SLAYING OF ESCORT IN CAR

Denies That She Saw Person Who Fired Shotgun Into Parked Car.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Mrs. Florence Stillwell of Eatontown, N. J., wounded with a shotgun after Paul Herry of Long Branch was shot to death while the two occupied Herry's parked automobile two miles from Asbury Park Thursday, failed today to throw any light on the shooting. She is in a private hospital at Long Branch, wounded in the left shoulder and arm. She will recover. Wide interest, however, has been roused by a report that some time prior to the shooting the Ku Klux Klan had warned Herry to discontinue his attentions to the woman.

Prosecutor Charles F. Sexton, after questioning families of all persons concerned, has made little progress in his investigation. He thinks the shooting was done by someone objecting to friendship between Herry and Mrs. Stillwell. Several persons have told detectives of seeing a man with a long gray coat and fedora hat emerging from woods near where the car was parked on a lonely road.

Joseph Herden Jr., policeman of Fairhaven and brother of Mrs. Herry, who sought Herry Thursday to deliver a message from Justice of Peace Mulford, telling Mrs. Stillwell her friendship with Herry must cease, has established a perfect alibi, it is said. Mrs. Stillwell has asserted she took one drink offered by Herry while in the car and has no recollection of events after that. She denied seeing the person who did the shooting.

9000 SHOPMEN GET INCREASE

Employes of Erie Railroad Receive 3 Cents an Hour Advance.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Erie railroad shopmen to the number of 9000 received a $600,000 Christmas present today when a committee representing the several unions and General Manager W. A. Baldwin agreed on a new wage scale, effective Jan. 1, by which wages are increased 3 cents an hour. The present minimum rate is 70 cents an hour and the average 74.

The new rate affects all the machinists, blacksmiths, boilermakers, sheet metal workers, electricians and carmen employed in the various shops of the company.

WHEELER ANSWERS CHARGES OF REED

Says No Law Abiding American Is Likely to Be Injured by Denatured Alcohol.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Assurance that no law-abiding American is likely to be injured by denatured alcohol was given today by Wayne B. Wheeler of the Anti-Saloon League, in a statement filed with the Senate committee considering the Cramton bill for creation of a separate prohibition enforcement bureau. Wheeler added that "those who make or buy denatured industrial alcohol for bootleg booze purposes are lawbreakers."

The statement was filed in reply to the charge of Senator Reed (Dem.), Missouri, that the addition of poisons to alcohol released for industrial purposes is "approaching murder."

"The blindness often reported as caused by bootleg," said Wheeler's statement, "is produced by wood alcohol, an odorless and tasteless liquor indistinguishable from grain alcohol, and not by the denaturants described under the national prohibition act.

"American business must have tax-free alcohol. There are a thousand uses. Only by denaturing alcohol can it be safely released to industry. This was recognized and demanded by business before prohibition. The fact that criminals misuse it or that alcohol addicts drink it cannot be charged against the Government, which frequently has issued warnings against it.

"The release of pure alcohol to industry would require an army of officials to prevent its diversion to bootleggers. To add a tax sufficient to pay these officers would cripple business and increase cost of enforcement."

Rabbi Jacob Mase Dead.

MOSCOW, Dec. 20.—Dr. Jacob Mase, chief Rabbi of Russia, died today after a brief illness. Dr. Mase took a prominent part in defending Jewry in the famous case at Kiev, in 1912, and since creation of the Soviet Republic devoted a great part of his time obtaining better conditions for people.

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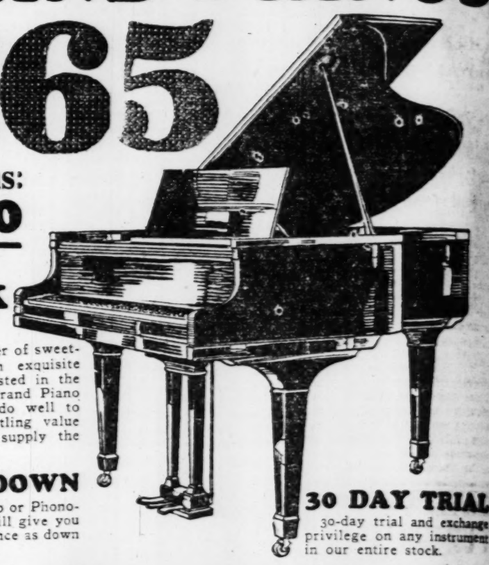
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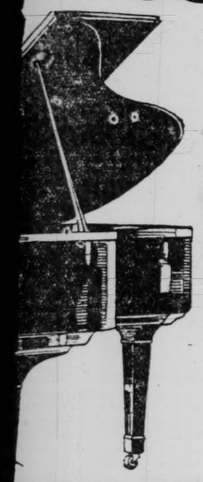

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He declares it a preposterous assumption "that there is any real feeling of antagonism between the two countries."

"I am confident, very confident, my country's relations with America were never more promising," Hayashi said. And then, commenting on reports that the Viscount Kato declined to receive the American fleet, he added: "I am certain Japan's reason is only because we have no port, particularly at Yokohama, after the earthquake, able to offer the necessary accommodation.

Condemns Jingoes.

"I do wish once and for all the jingo elements in various countries of the world, my own included would not always go out of their way to place wrong interpretations upon actions taken by Japan and by the United States. How preposterous it is to assume there is any real feeling of antagonism between the two countries, only the heads of those states can say personally, but I know my feelings are shared by the executive heads of my own country.

"I feel that only the closest working friendship between Great Britain, America and Japan and other powers can maintain the era of peace which we all so badly need. I am perhaps not giving any secret away when I say that when Secretary Hughes was in London some months ago he conveyed to me the assurance of his Government that we all had to disregard jingoistic tendencies in some of our politicians as I have already said.

"Japan Wants Peace."

"People always ready to make mischief are to be found on both sides of the Pacific but you can take my word for it when I say they are disregarded by the bulk of their nationals."

When asked whether the time had arrived for both Japan and the United States definitely to curb jingoes, Hayashi said that was a matter for the discretion of the two countries.

"I speak without authority on the point you raise," he said, "but as far as our country is concerned I think our propagandists, as you call them, receive more attentive hearing outside their own country.

"Again I must emphasize that Japan wants only peace. Japan indeed is determined to have peace whether with the United States or Great Britain or any other country. Naturally we want to work out our destiny unhampered by unfair restrictions, but that rule applies to the desire of every nation and must be respected by all nations."

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COAST GUARD ASKS IF IT MAY WAR ON RUM PIRATES

Requests Ruling From Department of Justice in View of Activities Beyond Territorial Limits.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Coast guard officials have asked the Department of Justice for a ruling on the question of dealing with liquor runners and pirates.

The liquor pirate has become so strong that coast guard officials fear his type may grow into the more serious form of robbery of legitimate cargoes. The Coast Guard has asked the Attorney-General whether it can apply the mailed fist to the hi-jackers.

While the Coast Guard's job of protecting the shore line against the smuggling of liquor, merchandise and aliens and watching the sea lanes has been heavy, it is ready to assume the task of suppressing the liquor pirate. Of course when a "hi-jacker" has his loot and attempts to get ashore with it, he is an ordinary rum runner and Coast Guard men go after him. But what is known as rum row is outside of American territorial waters and the "hi-jackers" operate generally there.

Rum row's tenants are said to be made up mostly of foreign flag ships. Reports that some of the rum row mother ships had protested to their Governments against the piracy and their Governments, in turn, had informed the United States, could not be confirmed but the Coast Guard has stories of attempts made by rum row ships to obtain some support from home against the rum robbers.

BARRETT NAMES SPECIAL AID IN INQUIRY INTO LYNCHING

Fred Tate of St. Louis to Assist Prosecutor at Charleston in Finding Mob's Leaders.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 20.—Attorney-General Barrett tonight announced he would send a special investigator to Charleston, Mo., to assist Prosecuting Attorney J. C. McDowell of Mississippi County in an effort to determine the identity of members of the mob which lynched Roosevelt Grigsby, negro, at Charleston Thursday night.

Barrett's action followed receipt of a telegram from McDowell, urging that a representative of the Attorney-General's office be sent to Charleston to aid in tracing down the leaders of the mob. Barrett said he would send Fred Tate of St. Louis, who has conducted numerous investigations for the Attorney-General, to assist McDowell. Barrett indicated his office was ready to co-operate fully in carrying on the investigation.

No message has been received by Barrett from Gov. Hyde, calling for an investigation of the lynching. Hyde is said to have dispatched a telegram to Barrett Thursday night from St. Louis.

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Youngest Chief of U. S. Investigation Bureau Sworn In.

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—John Edgar Hoover was sworn in today as director of the Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice, being the youngest man ever appointed chief of the Government's largest investigatorial agency.

Hoover has been acting director since the resignation of William J. Burns, under whom he served as assistant director. He came to the Department of Justice seven years ago as special assistant to the Attorney-General, and was at the time believed to be the youngest attorney to have had such distinction. He is now 29 years old.

In making Hoover chief of the bureau, Attorney-General Stone followed the policy of promoting an official familiar with the Government's inquisitorial and detective work.

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25c Black Draught	1 Free	25c Listerine, a dandy tooth paste	17c
50c, 25c Perfume; assorted lot	1 Free	65c Sargent's Mange Cure	39c
50c Cough Drops; something new	1 Free	98c Ladies' Comb; white or black	19c
A real mentholated horehound drop		25c Bromidia; cures cold	2 for 25c
50c, 50c Phenolphthalein Tablets	1 Free	$1.25 5-lbs. Gum Drops; fresh	89c, 1.19c
$1.25 Hair Brush; real bristle	1 Free	25c Zerbo's Grip Capsules	2 for 25c
Packed in individual boxes.		50c Doz. 1 lb. Stick Candy Candies	19c
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25c, 50c Cocillana Cough Syrup	1 Free	50c Rieger's Face Powder	29c
5c Chiclets or Yucatan Gum	1 Free	50c Chocolate Cream, ½ box	39c
50c, 1 Hazelen Oil Capsules	1 Free	10c Lifebuoy or Ivory Soap	3 for 20c
$1.00 Durham Safety Razor	1 Free	25c Futurmint Tooth Paste	15c
25c Olivile Shaving Cream	1 Free	Red Devil Roach Powders	15c, 29c
15c Britt's Ammonia Powder	1 Free	35c Kidney Plasters; Meadé's	18c
75c Epsom Salts Capsules	1 Free	60c Ehrmann's Cure, Keiffer's	99c
Small dose, easy to take, does the work.		50c Dr. Ross' Liver Pills	29c
50c, 95c Theatrical Cold Cream	1 Free	Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin	38c, 78c
10c Tetrit or Borehound Drops	1 Free	10c Lemon glass, jars	5c
25c Cod Liver Oil; just received	1 Free	$1.50 Alarm Clock	$1.19
25c Bromide Quinine; cures colds	1 Free	60c Lime Castile Soap; big bar	29c
10c Shaving Soap or Vaseline	1 Free	65c Neiff's, N. F. Tablets	35c, 65c
25c, 50c Jordan Almonds		50c Magic Rug and Carpet Cleaner	15c
50c, $1, $1.25 White Rose Perfume	1 Free	25c Shaving Lotion; Keiffer's	10c
60c Imperial Bay Rum; real	1 Free	50c Bob-White Bird Shot or Syringe	$1.01
25c Real Rubbing Alcohol	1 Free	25c Cattier's Liver Pills	2 for 29c
25c Four-Fold Liniment	1 Free	$1.50, $2.75 Narvisan Perfume	79c, $1.99
20c, 30c Brown's Mixture Lozenges	1 Free	29c Powder Puff; big one	13c
40c, 75c $1.50 Quinine; pure	1 Free	25c Mum Magic; Phillips'	18c
15c, 25c, 35c Olive, Rose Water	1 Free	$1 Toilet Water; rose or lilac	51c
50c, 35c, $1 Extract Vanilla	1 Free	65c, $1.50 Jantex Perfume	29c, 89c
50c, 25c, 65c Cascara Aromatic	1 Free	$1 Hair Tonic Dressing; Keiffer's	51c
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50c, 25c, 65c Cherry Laxative	1 Free	Optical Sale large shell read. Glasses	$1.95
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CALHOUN ORDERED WIFE FROM HOME SHE SAYS IN SUIT

"Forced Out Into Winter, Night" Says Deposition for Divorce, Made by Plaintiff in Italy.

Mr. and Mrs. David R. Calhoun were entertaining guests the day after Christmas last year when Calhoun told his wife in their presence that he was tired of her and demanded that she leave his home or assents her deposition made in Rome, Italy, and opened at Clayton yesterday.

She pleaded with him to reconsider and "actually begged" to be allowed to stay in their St. Louis County home. The quarrel was the outcome of a long period in their married life of 22 years, during which Calhoun became "increasingly cold and indifferent."

Mrs. Calhoun declares she was virtually forced out into a winter night, the scene occurring at 12 o'clock in the evening, in their home on Clayton road, adjoining the Log Cabin Club. Her deposition states emphatically that in suing him for divorce she does not ask alimony.

Calhoun, who is president of Ely & Walker Dry Goods Co. and prominent socially, already has entered appearance and general denial of his wife's charges. Mrs. Calhoun gave her deposition in Italy because she does not wish to return to St. Louis County for the hearing. Indications are Calhoun will not contest the divorce.

Is Studying Abroad.

Since the separation Mrs. Calhound has traveled extensively abroad and now is studying foreign languages in Rome. Her deposition was taken before the American Consul there and follows the form of answers to questions mailed her by her counsel, Fordyce, Holliday & White.

After stating that she and Calhoun, who is 66 years old, were married Nov. 23, 1901, and separated Dec. 26, 1923, Mrs. Calhoun describes the scene of their last quarrel:

On Dec. 26, 1923, David R. Calhoun, without provocation or warning and in the presence of intimate friends, Mr. and Mrs. John Geraghty of Minneapolis, Minn., who were their guests, announced that he had decided to end it all and be rid of her forever; that his love for her had gone a long time before; that he had no feeling of affection or kindness for her in his heart; that he did not wish to remain married to her; that he refused longer to have anything to do with her.

Begged to Remain, She Says.

"Deponent argued with her husband that he should not do away with her and actually begged to be allowed to remain; urged him to think it over and reconsider, but upon his refusal there was nothing for deponent to do to keep her self-respect but to leave his home."

The document further describes how the Geraghtys took Mrs. Calhoun to a St. Louis hotel that evening and how she sent friends to her husband to try to affect reconciliation. "Deponent vainly hoped," the deposition states, "that her husband would relent and apologize and would gladly have returned to him, only bringing action with the greatest possible reluctance when hope of a reconciliation had vanished.

The climax followed years of gradual drifting apart. Mrs. Calhoun relates. "He was increasingly cold, frequently addressing his wife in terms of harshness and contempt. He denied her companionship and had no thought for her pleasure and happiness."

In answer to one question Mrs. Calhoun conceded that she "still could have continued to live with him, but could not, keeping her self-respect, remain where she was not wanted."

The Calhouns have one son, David Jr., 22 years old, who is employed by his father and resides with him.

STATE SENATOR KILLED IN CRASH ON ICY ROAD

DAVID BAGBY

State Senator David Bagby of Fayette, Mo., was killed when an automobile in which he was riding plunged over an embankment near Fayette Friday. Luman Spry, Howard County School Superintendent, was injured. The accident was on a sharp curve where ice on the road made the turn difficult. Bagby, a Democrat, was 58 years old.

ROUTED ONE-ROBBER, SECOND SHOOTS HIM

Grocer, Held Up Last Week, Saves Money Again but Is Wounded Slightly.

Tony Dejanerio, proprietor of a grocery store at 2214 Olive street, who last week routed a robber by throwing red pepper in his face, routed another highwayman last night but was shot and slightly wounded by the robber, who then fled.

A negro entered the store at 10 p. m. yesterday and ordered Dejanerio at the point of a revolver to hand over his money. Dejanerio said he had none and stepped toward the robber, who fired five shots and ran from the store. One of the bullets struck Dejanerio in the left forearm.

After his wound had been treated at City Hospital, Dejanerio decided he had the laugh on the second bandit as well as on the first. The storekeeper had $350 in his pockets when the negro tried to hold him up last night.

Six holdups were committed last night within less than four hours, the robbers obtaining a total of $814. At 5:35 p. m. two men held up Edward G. Fobrell, vice president of the Edward G. Becht Laundry Co., in the laundry office, 3361 Bell avenue, and escaped with $100.

Two men held up Miss Octavia Flann, cashier, in the West End Laundry Co., 4325 Finney avenue, at 6 p. m., and escaped with $88. Louis Lasata, chauffeur for Joe Mancuso, who operates a grocery at 825 Biddle street, was held up in a hallway at 1020 Atchison place by two negroes at 6:20 p. m. and robbed of $66 in Saturday collections. Joseph Kreyling, 6412 Vermont avenue, a driver for the Excelsior-Leader Laundry Co., was robbed of $100 at 7:30 p. m. by three men who stopped him at Skinker road and Oakland avenue.

There were two robberies at 8:45. Two highwaymen got $100 from the grocery of Bernard Barth, 918 North Newstead avenue, and two others held up Mrs. Matilda Kinder in her grocery, 2475 North Tenth street, and escaped with $589.

DR. HENRY N. DE MENIL DIES AT AMERICAN LEGION MEETING

Physician Succumbs After Reaching Hall to Attend Session of Quentin Roosevelt Post.

Dr. Harry N. DeMenil, 45 years old, of 4341 Page boulevard, son of Alexander N. DeMenil, Historian and writer, died suddenly at 8:30 last night at 5559 West Pine boulevard, where he had gone to attend a meeting of the Quentin Roosevelt Post of the American Legion of which he was a member. The cause of death has not been ascertained.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Edna De Menil, and three small children, Lorraine, Eleanor and Richard. Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

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New Scoring System for Ring Shows

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BAN JOHNSON, president of the American League, who for two days has refused to comment on the action of his club owners' meeting here, this week, in removing him from the baseball advisory council and advising Commissioner Kenesaw M. Landis that he (Johnson) would be removed as president if he interfered with the conduct of the commissioner's office, tonight issued his only statement on the affair.

"I am sorry," he said, "that **the American League club owners could not conceive their faithful and exact duty to the public.** I have no criticisms to offer.

"This statement," he added, "constitutes everything I will have to say about the joint leagues' meeting."

Billikens Defeat Indiana, 30 to 21

State Normal Team of Terre Haute Unable to Stop St. Louis Basket Team.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Dec. 20.—With Stanton, Kapl and W. Bradburn displaying deadly eyes for the hoop on long shots, the St. Louis University quintet defeated the State Normal five here tonight by the score of 30 to 21.

During the entire first half, the two teams fought on even terms with a foul goal made by Stanton after time had been called at the end of the first period tieing the score at 11 all.

During the second half, the St. Louis team began using a beautiful five man defense that had the Normal team completely stopped at all stages.

Conover, the speedy forward for the Normal team, dribbled through once for a close in shot but the other points were made either from the foul line or by a long distance bombardment. While the defense was stopping Normal, W. Bradburn was dropping in shots from the side of the floor while Stanton continued his long shooting that always came close to the goal. The St. Louis team worked together in excellent style during the entire game.

Lineup and summary:

St. Louis (30)	Position	Normal (21)
Kapl	Forward	Vanhorn
W. Bradburn	Forward	Conover
V. Bradburn	Center	Willis
O'Toole	Guard	Albright
Stanton	Guard	Meier

Substitutions: Wolf for Conover, Conover for Vanhorn, Smith for Wolf, Ellsberry for Conover, Puckett for Willis.

Field Goals: Kapl 4, W. Bradburn 5, Stanton 3, V. Bradburn, Conover 2, Albright 2, Willis, Wolf.

Foul goals: Vanhorn 5, Willis 2, Ellsberry, V. Bradburn 2, O'Toole, Stanton.

Time of halves—20 minutes. Referee—Jensen.

NOTRE DAME SQUAD IN CHICAGO, ON WAY TO PACIFIC COAST

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 20. — Coach Knute Rockne and his famous Notre Dame gridiron warriors visited Chicago tonight for a short time on their way to Pasadena, Cal., where on New Year's day they will battle Leland Stanford in an intersectional game. The squad arrived from South Bend and left an hour later for New Orleans.

The party was made up of 32 players, Coach Rockne and his assistant, Tom Lieb, and Student Manager Leo Sutcliffe.

BOXING FEDERATION REFUSES TO SANCTION CHALLENGE TO DEMPSEY

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, Dec. 20.—The international boxing union has refused to consider transmitting the challenge of Erminio Spalla, the Italian heavyweight, to Jack Dempsey for a bout for the world's heavyweight title. The union made known its ruling today in diplomatic language which in effect tells Spalla to "first get a reputation."

GRANGE WINS TROPHY AS MOST VALUABLE PLAYER

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—The Chicago Tribune trophy for the most valuable player in the Western Conference football season just closed was tonight awarded to Harold "Red" Grange of the University of Illinois. The selection was based upon the composite verdict of a committee of 21, including all the Big Ten coaches and various football officials. Ralph Baker of Northwestern was a close second, receiving 18 points, while Grange was given 23. Parkin of Iowa, Claypool of Purdue and H. Thomas of Chicago also received points.

Bill Roper Declines W. U. Offer

Princeton Football Director Unwilling to Sever Political and Personal Connections in Philadelphia.

SEVERAL MEN AFTER PLACE

Cochems, McMillin, Mathews, Maulbetsch and Conzelman Among Candidates for Job.

William W. Roper, football coach at Princeton University for the past several years, will not coach the Washington University eleven next fall. This announcement was made from the office of Chancellor Hadley of the Pikeway institution yesterday afternoon. Roper was here last week and conferred with officials of the local institution.

In making the announcement, Chancellor Hadley asserted that it was his opinion that the only reason Roper turned down the offer to come to St. Louis to coach the Pikers was that he was unwilling to sever his political and personal connections in Philadelphia.

Chancellor Hadley also announced that the university was willing to pay a good salary to a football coach with reputation and ability and that several men who seem to fill the bill had filed applications.

Hadley's Announcement.

In commenting on Roper's refusal to accept the position at Piker institution, Chancellor Hadley said as follows:

"We are of course sorry Mr. Roper cannot come as we felt that he would have been a valuable addition to the university and to the community. I know from what he told us when he was here that the only thing that prevented him from coming was his unwillingness to sever his political and personal relations established by his long years of residence in Philadelphia.

"In view of the reference as to the amount of salary that the university is offering for a football coach, it may be of interest that the amount asked for by Mr. Roper, in case he decided he would come was a very reasonable one. However, the university is prepared to pay a good salary to a good coach and we intend to do everything we can to secure one with both reputation and ability. We have applications from several men who seem to fill these requirements and I hope that we can, after counselling with our alumni and others interested, announce our selection soon."

Applicants for Job.

Among those who have informally applied for the position to coach Washington are E. B. Cochems, former coach at St. Louis University; Bo McMillan, who only recently resigned at Centenary; R. L. Mathews, former Notre Dame star, who had a successful season as coach at Idaho U. the past season; Johnny Maulbetsch and Jimmy Conzelman, one of the best football players ever turned out in this city.

WILBERT ROBINSON RESTING COMFORTABLY FOLLOWING OPERATION

By the Associated Press.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 20. — Wilbert H. Robinson, manager of the Brooklyn baseball club, underwent an operation today and was reported resting comfortably tonight.

Mr. Robinson's lung became affected as the result of pleurisy which he contracted while on a hunting trip several weeks ago.

The operation was preparatory to draining the lung cavity, which will be done next Tuesday.

LEE MARTIN LEADS IN CLASSIC BOWLING TOURNEY WITH 1634

Lee Martin took the lead in the classic tournament at the Washington alleys last night with a score of 1634 for eight games. C. F. Kaley with 1625 was second and H. Rebenschied with 1621 was third. There were 32 bowlers shot last night and a like number will roll tonight.

YALE DEFEATS NAVY SOCCER TEAM, 2 TO 1

By the Associated Press.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 20. — Yale defeated the Annapolis Midshipmen at soccer here today, 2 to 1. Thomas kicked both goals for Yale, while Steiner made Navy's single tally.

He'll Give the "Four Horsemen" a Hard Run

HALFBACK CLEAVELAND,

Of Stanford who will do his stuff against Notre Dame's wonderful backfield New Year's Day.

Southern California Favored To Win Over Missouri Eleven in Christmas Day Football Contest

Trojans Figure One Touchdown Better on Line Through Oregon Aggies and Nebraska — Tigers Lost One Game During Season, While Coast Team Was Beaten Twice.

The first of the season's big post-season intersectional football holiday games will be played at Los Angeles Stadium, Christmas day, when Missouri University, champion of the Missouri Valley Conference, plays Southern California. Southern California has already scored one victory in an international clash, having defeated Syracuse a few weeks ago, 16 to 0, stopping McBride, the star fullback of the Orange aggregation.

The Tigers are now on the way West, having left Columbia early yesterday morning. Late yesterday afternoon, the team departed from Kansas City on its second lap of the long trip. Twenty-one players, all letter men, are making the trip. That a big crowd will attend the game was evinced when on the first two days of the sale, 20,000 tickets were disposed of.

Both of the rivals in the Christmas day game have been defeated this year. Missouri, although winning the Valley championship, was defeated by Nebraska, 14 to 6. However the Tigers gained conquests over Chicago, winner of the Big Ten title, 3 to 0. This victory came in the first game of the season for each eleven.

In the Valley title race, Coach Henry's team won five games and lost one, defeating Ames, Kansas Aggies, Oklahoma, Washington and Kansas. Only two teams were able to score against the Columbia eleven, the Kansas Aggies and Nebraska. In all, but 21 points were counted against the Tigers in eight games, an average of 2.6 a game. The Valley title winners tallied 103 points, or a fraction less than 13 a game.

Two Teams Beat Trojans.

Southern California, in one of its games lost to California, which tied Leland Stanford for the championship of the Pacific Coast Conference by a 7 to 0 score, and the following week was downed by St. Mary's, 14 to 10. In seven contests played, Southern California scored 128 points, an average of 18 a game. Against the coast eleven 31 points were scored, or 4.4 a battle. This shows that the S. C. team has a greater scoring punch, while the Tigers have exhibited a better defense.

On a direct line between the two elevens, Southern California figures to be a touchdown better than Missouri. This is arrived at in the following manner:

Southern California defeated Oregon Aggies in its first impor-

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BETHLEHEM DEFEATS INDIANA; GIANTS AND FLEISCHERS TIE, 0-0

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 20. — The Bethlehem team, closely pressing Fall River for the lead in the American Soccer League race today defeated one of the strongest clubs in the league, the Indiana Flooring Co. eleven. The score was 2 to 0.

The Fleischer team was held to a scoreless tie by the New York Giants.

Bill Mehlhorn Named Golf Professional at Westmoreland Club

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 20.

WILLIAM MEHLHORN, for the past two years professional at the North Hills Country Club in St. Louis, announced here today that he had been appointed golf professional at the Westmoreland Country Club of Chicago. Mehlhorn's contract with the St. Louis club expired some months ago. He holds the Western Open Championship.

Today, playing with Jim Brophy of Covington, Ky., Mehlhorn defeated John Brophy of Cincinnati and Capt. H. C. Typpett of Meadowbrook, L. I., 2 up and 1 in an exhibition match.

May Postpone Soccer Contests

"Unless Weather Moderates, We Will Not Play," Barker Announces.

"If there is not a decided rise in temperature in the morning our league schedule for the afternoon will be called off," Winton E. Barker, president of the St. Louis Soccer League, announced late last night.

"Although we make an effort to play our games every Sunday, regardless of weather conditions, we believe that the present condition of the field would put the players in too great danger of injury and there would be little chance for control of the ball," said Barker.

"However, if the weather moderates before noon, we will play as scheduled."

The Ratican team, with four new men in the lineup, is scheduled to oppose the Ben Millers in the first game of today's double header. Harry Ratican announced yesterday that he had signed four former Carondelet players, members of teams which recently withdrew from the Municipal League. Grant Brannon, Joe Bochnicek, Joe Sprinz and Ray Wawers are the new men. Brannon and Bochicek are forwards.

NEIL, FORMER BANTAM TITLEHOLDER, DENIES REPORT OF HIS DEATH

By the Associated Press.

OAKLAND, Cal., Dec. 20.—"If I am dead it is all news to me," said Frankie Neil, former bantamweight champion of the world, today, as he read morning papers' accounts of his death in Vancouver, B. C. He is employed near here.

Good Receivers Never So Scarce, Brownie Leader Points Out

Severeid Needs Help, Rego Is Too Small and Pat Collins Seems to Have Played Out His String — Pitching Staff Strengthened by Addition of Bush.

By J. Roy Stockton.

George Sisler wants a hard-hitting outfielder who bats right-handed. He would like to land an experienced fly chaser, but inasmuch as there is a premium just now on right-handed hitters, Sisler is willing to take a chance on a young player. Trades which Sisler will try to arrange this winter will have as their objective the landing of such an outfielder and a catcher.

"I can't remember when good catchers were so scarce," said Sisler, discussing the needs of his team after he had put through the Shocker-Bush trade. "A few years ago there were many star backstops. There were Ray Schalk, Steve O'Neil and Hank Severeid, Wallie Schang and Cy Perkins in the American League. The National League had Hank Gowdy, Frank Snyder, Walter Schmidt and Bill Killefer.

Oh, Where Is There a Catcher?

"Look at the major leagues today. Where is there a catcher to compare with the stars of a few years ago? It must be equally hard to find them in the minor leagues. McGraw has about as much money as anyone to spend for needed material, but when he wanted catchers he had to take Hank Gowdy, an aged veteran, and then when he needed another he brought back old Grover Hartley.

"Yes, the Browns need catching strength. Every club in the majors needs catching, however. You can't make any deals for catchers because nobody has any excess material."

There are several catchers in the league Sisler would like to have. Detroit, however, would not part with Johnny Bassler and Washington wants too much for Muddy Ruel.

Severeid Needs Help.

The Browns have Severeid, who had a great year in 1923, and not such a good year last season. However, Hank may come back in 1925. He is no spring chicken but he is sound, and if the Browns had another catcher to share the season's work with Hank, it might aid and stimulate the veteran.

For years Hank has had no competition. Pat Collins appeared for a time to be a brilliant prospect, but instead of shining when he had a chance to work regularly, Pat faltered. He has about run his string with the Browns and it is a question if any American League club would claim him if he were offered at the waiver price.

Rego too Small.

Tony Rego is too small to be a star catcher. He has a fine arm and can catch anybody. He catches Vangilder, the speed ball pitcher, as easily as Severeid does. But Rego can't catch foul flies and he's too small. He never will be a good hitter. He probably will be retained, however, to catch an occasional game.

Sisler thinks his pitching staff has been strengthened greatly by the Bush trade. He still has several throwers who probably will depart before the next season opens. However, Sisler still has faith in Vangilder and the big farmer will be on the staff next year, unless some attractive trade presents itself. Pruett, the southpaw who was the sensation of 1922, probably is through. He may go South with the Browns but it is not probable. Baseball men at the meetings in Chicago expressed the view that Pruett was through and that no good minor league club would bid high for him.

"Gaston Had Greater Speed Than Joe Bush," Says Horan of Yanks

"WE considered young Milton Gaston one of the finest pitchers on the staff," said Joe "Shags" Horan, member of the New York Yankees, who is a St. Louis boy, yesterday.

"Gaston had more speed than Joe Bush last season. He has more than one man's share of nerve. The Browns beat him in the first game he started in his major league career, right here at Sportsman's Park. Believe me, the Browns got a great pitcher when they grabbed Gaston."

Piker Swimmers Defeat the "Y"

Helbing Breaks His Valley Record in the 100-Yard Free Style Event.

Washington University's swimming team, which last year won the Missouri Valley Conference championship, proved last night that it is even stronger than a year ago. By defeating the North Side Y. M. C. A. team, 43 points to 25, the Pikers displayed a better balanced team than last season and former captain "Doc." Helbing crowned a good evening's work by setting a new conference record for the 100-yard free style event, winning in 58 2-10 seconds.

Specht, in the fancy diving, and Ledbetter, in the back-stroke, were making their first appearance in the Piker varsity team and each looked as good as the man who held the position last year.

Bad weather held the crowd at Wilson Pool to a mere handful but the meet was considered a success by both Coaches Vince Johnson and Leonard Singer.

The summary:

220-YARD RELAY—Washington, first (Helbing, captain; Gilbert, Ewerhardt, Ledbetter). Time—1m. 45 8-10s.

FANCY DIVING—Gentry (Y.), first; Specht (W.), second; Niemoller (W.), third.

50-YARD FREE STYLE—Braquehais (Y.), first; Ewerhardt (W.), second; Ledbetter (W.), third. Time—29 1-10s.

100-YARD BREAST STROKE—Specht (W.), first; Ullman (W.), second; Zimmerman (Y.), third. Time—3m. 10s.

100-YARD FREE STYLE—Helbing (W.), first; Braquehais (Y.), second; Ewerhardt (W.), third. Time—58 2-10s. (New Valley Conference record. Old record, 60s. flat, held by Helbing of Washington).

220-YARD FREE STYLE—Helbing (W.), first; Gilbert (W.), second; Hauskecht (Y.), third. Time—2m. 52 08s.

PLUNGE FOR DISTANCE—Greenefelder (W.), 54 ft., first; Ehrengart (Y.), 52 ft., second; Stuerman (Y.), 50 ft., third.

150-YARD BACK STROKE—Heideman (Y.), first; Ledbetter (W.), second; Donegan (Y.), third. Time—2m. 7 2-10s.

BASKETBALL RESULTS

LOCAL.

Sunday School League.
Immanuel Baptists 27, Compton Hill Congregational 6.
Pilgrim Congregational 26, Bethel Mission 6.

ELSEWHERE.

Michigan 21, Kentucky 11.
Evangelical League.
Nazareth 28, St. James 26.
Salvador 39, Zion 6.
Baraca 20, Semper Fidelis 17.
St. Louis U. 30, Indiana State Normal 21.
Michigan Aggies 29, Chicago 15.
Columbia 26, Wesleyan 17.
Butler 25, Marquette 17.

SISLER WILL PERMIT HIS MEN TO PLAY GOLF BUT NOT TO TALK IT

Members of the Brownie training camp squad next spring will be permitted to play golf, Manager George Sisler has announced, but there will be one rule that will be strictly enforced and that is that the men must leave their golf on the links. No golf conversation will be permitted at the hotel or on the baseball field.

"With few exceptions, golf does not hurt a player," said Sisler. "In some cases it will help and in rare instances it will hurt a man's batting. However, the Browns can play all the golf they want. But when golf gets hold of a man so strong that he must talk it on the ball field and at the hotel, it's time for him to stop. If I find that golf is bad for any individual or that a player can't leave his clubs, drives and conversation at the links, he'll have to give up golf."

JOHNNY JONES, FORMER ST. LOUIS BOY, RETURNS TO PORTLAND CLUB

By the Associated Press.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 20.—Tom Turner, president of the Portland baseball club of the Pacific Coast League, announced tonight that he had obtained Johnnie Jones, shortstop, from the Brooklyn Nationals. Whether the deal was by cash or trade he declined to say.

Jones was sold to Brooklyn by Portland last year. He played with the team for two months, later being released on option to the Indianapolis club of the American Association. He is a St. Louis boy.

NINE ST. LOUISANS ON LIST OF SPORTS CHAMPIONS OF 192

Dan Kinsey Won Hurdle Title in Olympic Games

Jackson Scholz, 200-Meter Sprint Champion, Resides in the East.

HORNSBY SET RECORD

Cardinal Slugger Batted for Modern-Day Record Percentage of .424.

Although the names of nine St. Louisans appear on the list of sports champions for 1924, but five of this number are now residents of this city. Athletes representing St. Louis captured one title in baseball, four in golf, one in swimming and four in athletics, Loren Murchison accounting for both the 60 and 300 yard indoor championships.

Two of the championships captured by St. Louisans can be termed world's titles, inasmuch as they were won in the Olympic games, in which the pick of the athletes of the world participated. One of these, Dan Kinsey, who landed first in the 110-meter hurdles, is still a resident of St. Louis. The other, Jackson Scholz, who won the 200-meter, has resided in the East for several years. The same is true of Murchison, who captured two indoor championships.

Hornsby's Batting Title.

Rogers Hornsby gave this city its baseball title, winning the batting championship with a new modern-day record of .424. He was termed by John A. Heydler, president of the National League, the greatest batsman of all time, but, despite this fact, Dazy Vance was voted the most valuable player in the senior organization. Hornsby at present lives in this city during the off season.

St. Louis' golf championships went to Bill Mehlhorn, Jimmy Manion, Donald Anderson and Art Longworth. Mehlhorn, while still professional at North Hills, accounted for the Western open; Manion captured the trans-Mississippi; Anderson the Missouri State and Longworth, the Missouri professional.

Oliver Horn, who starred as a swimmer for the Missouri A. A., accounted for the tank title, capturing the 150 yards national A. A. U. indoor championship. Horn now resides in Chicago and represents a club in that city.

St. Louis Champions.

The 1924 St. Louis sports champions, not including district events, are as follows:

Rogers Hornsby, National League batting.

Bill Mehlhorn, Western open golf.

Jimmy Manion, trans-Mississippi golf.

Donald Anderson, Missouri State golf.

Art Longworth, Missouri professional golf.

Oliver Horn, 150 yards backstroke swim.

Loren Murchison, 60 and 300 yards indoors.

Jackson Scholz, 200 meter Olympic games.

Dan Kinsey, 110 meter hurdles Olympic games.

That some of the star athletes of the United States are slipping is evinced in the case of Joie Ray, the Chicago middle distance star. Ray during the season was shorn of all his titles excepting the two-mile indoor. Even in the Olympic games at Paris, Ray proved a failure.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA FAVORED TO WIN OVER MISSOURI

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tant game of the season, 17 to 3, while Nebraska won from the Aggies in a late season battle, 14 to 0. This makes S. C. and the Huskers even. Nebraska defeated Missouri, 14-6, giving S. C. an edge of eight points over its Christmas day opponent.

That Missouri is looking forward to a forward passing game from the Coast team is indicated in the practice sessions held by Coach Gwinn Henry in Columbia, where the team has been forced to work indoors because of inclement weather. Southern California's second touchdown in the game with Syracuse on Dec. 6 came as the result of a 34-yard forward pass from Green to Hawkins.

Tigers May Win Higher Place.

The post-season clash will go further towards showing what place Missouri holds among the great elevens of the country than any other played by the Tigers this season. Although Chicago, the Big Ten title winner, was defeated by the Columbians, this was the initial clash of the season and neither aggregation showed anything of its later strength. A victory for the Missourians will go a far way towards giving Missouri Valley football a higher ranking throughout the country.

What the records on the two elevens this season show:

MISSOURI.		S. CALIFORNIA.	
3—Chicago	0	17—Ore. Ags.	3
14—Mo. Wes'n	0	21—Nevada	0
7—Ames	0	0—California	7
14—Kas.Aggies	7	10—St. Mary's	14
6—Nebraska	14	51—Whittier	0
10—Oklahom	0	13—Idaho	0
35—Washing'n	0	16—Syracuse	0
14—Kansas	0		
102	21	128	21

Champions of Sport for the Year 1924

Baseball.

World's champions—Washington Senators, American League.

American League—Washington Senators.

National League—New York Giants.

American League batting—Babe Ruth, New York Americans.

National League batting—Rogers Hornsby, St. Louis Cardinals.

American League pitching—Walter Johnson, Washington Senators.

National League pitching—Arthur Vance, Brooklyn Dodgers.

Minor league—St. Paul (American Association).

Municipal—Curlees.

Billiards.

18.2 balkline — William F. Hoppe.

Three-cushions—Robert Cannefax.

Pocket billiards—Ralph Greenleaf.

College Football.

National—Notre Dame.

Eastern—Yale, Pennsylvania and Dartmouth.

Missouri Valley—Missouri.

Big Ten—Chicago.

Southern Conference—Alabama.

Big Three—Yale.

Southern—Centre College.

Southwestern—Baylor.

Pacific Coast—California and Stanford.

Service—Army.

High School—Cleveland.

County—University City.

Golf.

National open—Cyril Walker, New York.

National professional — Walter Hagen, New York.

National amateur—Robert T. Jones, Atlanta.

Western open—William Mehlhorn, St. Louis.

Public links—Joe Coble, Philadelphia.

Walker Cup—United States.

British open—Walter Hagen, New York.

French open—Cyril Tolley, England.

French amateur—John G. Anderson, United States.

Canadian open—Leo Diegel, Washington.

Missouri open—Abe Espinosa, Chicago.

Western amateur — Harrison Johnston, St. Paul.

Missouri State—Donald Anderson.

Trans-Mississippi—Jimmy Manion.

Missouri professional — Art Longworth.

St. Louis District—Eddie Held.

Municipal—Reginald Belleville.

National women's—Mrs. Dorothy Campbell Hurd, Philadelphia.

St. Louis District women's—Miss Audrey Faust.

Municipal women's—Miss Virginia Pep.

Tennis.

National singles—William T. Tilden.

National doubles—Robert and Howard Kinsey.

National clay court—William T. Tilden.

National clay court doubles—Robert and Howard Kinsey.

National junior—George Lott Jr.

Davis Cup—United States.

Olympic—Vincent Richards.

Olympic doubles—Vincent Richards and Francis T. Hunter.

St. Louis District—Wray Brown.

Municipal—Ted Drewes.

St. Louis District doubles—Wray Brown and Carl Kammann.

Municipal doubles—Ted Drewes and Ted Heuermann.

WOMEN.

National singles—Miss Helen Wills.

National doubles—Miss Helen Wills and Mrs. George Wightman.

National junior—Miss Helen Jacobs.

Olympic singles—Miss Helen Wills.

Olympic doubles—Miss Helen Wills and Mrs. George Wightman.

St. Louis District—Mrs. Mellicent Baehr.

Municipal—Miss Virginia Baer.

St. Louis District doubles—Miss Hagemeyer and Miss Crunden.

Municipal doubles—Miss Baer and Miss Gleason.

Boxing.

Heavyweight—Jack Dempsey.

Light heavyweight—(American) Gene Tunney.

Light heavyweight—Mike McTigue.

Middleweight—Harry Greb.

Welterweight—Mickey Walker.

Lightweight—Benny Leonard.

Junior lightweight—Steve "Kid" Sullivan.

Featherweight—Kid Kaplan and Danny Kramer to meet for title early in January.

Flyweight—Pancho Villa.

Bantamweight — "Cannonball" Eddie Martin.

Junior welterweight — Pinkey Mitchell.

AMATEUR.

112-pound class—Fidel Labarba, Los Angeles A. C.

118-pound class—Jack Tripoli, Hollywood Inn Club.

126-pound class—Joe Halas, Los Angeles A. C.

135-pound class—Fred Boylstein, Kittining, Pa.

147-pound class—Al Mello, Lowell, Mass.

160-pound class — Ben Funk, Yale University.

175-pound class—Tom Kirby, Roxbury, Mass.

Heavyweight class—E. G. Greathouse, Washington, Pa.

Wrestling.

World's champion—Ed "Strangler" Lewis.

AMATEURS.

112-pound class, Robert A. Rowsey, Gary Y. M. C. A.

123-pound class, Brian Hines, Northwestern University.

134-pound class, Robin Reed, Multnomah A. A. C.

146-pound class, Russel Vys, Los Angeles A. C.

158-pound class, Perry Martter, Los Angeles A. C.

174-pound class, W. D. Wright, Cornell University.

191-pound class, Charles W. Strack, Colgate University.

Heavyweight class, R. L. Flanders, unattached, Northfield, Vt.

Basketball.

National A. A. U.—Butler University.

Municipal—Leacocks.

Polo.

Meadowbrook Club of New York.

Trapshooting.

Grand American Handicap—Frank Hughes, Mobridge, S. D.

G. A. H. Junior—Dudley Shallcross.

G. A. H. women's—Miss Georgiana Hobson.

Swimming.

INDOOR (MEN).

50 yards free style, J. Weismuller, Illinois A. C.

100 yards free style, J. Weismuller, Illinois A. C.

220 yards free style, J. Weismuller, Illinois A. C.

500 yards free style, J. Weismuller, Illinois A. C.

150 yards backstroke, Oliver Horn, Illinois A. C.

220 yards breast stroke, J. Faricy, Illinois A. C.

Pentathlon, Harold Kruger, Illinois A. C.

Fancy dive low board, Al White, Stanford University.

Fancy dive 10 foot board, Al White, Stanford University.

Medley swim, Harold Kruger, Illinois A. C.

Plunge for distance, Ted Abrams, Cleveland Central Y.

INDOOR (WOMEN).

50 yards free style, G. Ederle, Women's Swimming Association.

100 yards free style, H. Wainwright, Women's Swimming Association.

220 yards free style, H. Wainwright, Women's Swimming Association.

100 yards breast stroke, Sybil Bauer, Illinois A. C.

220 yards breast stroke, Agnes Geraghty, Women's Swimming Association.

Pentathlon, tie, R. Thomas, Ambassador Swimming Club, F. Clarke, Philadelphia Turngemeinde.

Low board dive, Betty Becker, Ambassador Swimming Club.

Fancy 10 foot board, Carol Fletcher, Pasadena A. C.

OUTDOOR (WOMEN).

100 yards free style, Ethel Lackie, Illinois A. C.

440 yards free style, Helen Wainwright, Women's Swimming Association, New York.

880 yards free style, G. Ederle, Women's Swimming Association, New York.

Fancy dive, Aileen Riggin, Women's Swimming Association, New York.

220 yards back stroke, Sybil Bauer, Illinois A. C.

220 yards breast stroke, Agnes Geraghty, Women's Swimming Association, New York.

Soccer.

National—Fall River.

Olympic—Uruguay.

Municipal—Schumachers.

St. Louis—Vespers.

Intercollegiate — Pennsylvania.

Athletics.

OUTDOOR.

100-yard dash, Charles W. Paddock, Los Angeles A. C.

220-yard dash, Charles W. Paddock, Los Angeles A. C.

440-yard run, James Burgess, West Side Y. M. C. A.

880-yard run, Edward Kirby, Newark A. C.

1-mile run, Ray Buker, Illinois A. C.

5-mile run, Ilmar Prem, Finnish-American A. C.

120-yard high hurdles, Ivan Riley, Illinois A. C.

220-yard low hurdles, Herbert Myer, Newark A. C.

440-yard hurdles, F. Morgan Taylor, Grinnell College.

3-mile walk, William Plant, Morningside A. C.

Running high jump, Robert L. Juday, Penn R. R. A. A.

16-pound hammer, F. D. Tootel, Boston A. A.

Javelin throw, John Leyden, Newark A. C.

Running broad jump, DeHart Hubbard, University of Michigan.

16-pound shot, Ralph G. Hills, Princeton University.

Pole vault, E. E. Myers, Chicago A. C.

Hop, step and jump, H. Martin, Illinois A. C.

56-pound weight, M. J. McGrath, N. Y. A. C.

Discus throw, Tom Lieb, Illinois A. C.

Decathlon, Anthony Plansky, Pere Marquette K. of C., Boston.

Pentathlon, Anthony Woodstroff, Newark A. C.

7-mile walk, E. C. Freeman, Cent. Walk Club, Toronto.

10-mile run, R. Earl Johnson, Thompson Steel Works Penna.

2-mile steeplechase, Marvin Rick, N. Y. A. C.

INDOOR.

60-yard run, Loren Murchison, Newark A. C.

300-yard run, Loren Murchison, Newark A. C.

600-yard run, Walter Mulvihill, Holy Cross College.

1000-yard run, George Marsters, Georgetown University.

Two-mile run, Joie Ray, Illinois A. C.

70-yard high hurdles, Herbert Meyer, Newark A. C.

One-mile walk, William Plant, Morningside A. C.

Running high jump, Harold Osborne, Illinois A. C.

Standing broad jump, W. I. Reed, Brown University.

Standing high jump, Harry Stiglitz, Syracuse Y. M. C. A.

16-pound shot, R. G. Hills, Princeton University.

WOMEN.

50 yards, Christine Pylick, Cleveland.

100 yards, Frances Ruppert, Meadowbrook Club.

60-yard hurdles, Hazel Kirk, Newark, N. J.

Running high jump, Ida Robinson, Philadelphia Turngemeinde.

Running broad jump, Dorothy Walsh, Rocky River S. S., Ohio.

Shot put, Esther Behring, Newark, N. J.

Javelin, Esther Spargo, Boston Swimming Club.

Discus, Roberta Ranck, Philadelphia Turngemeinde.

Throwing baseball, Mabel Holmes, Board of Education, Paterson, N. J.

OLYMPIC GAMES.

100 meters—Harold Abrahams, England.

10,000-meter flat—Paavo Nurmi, Finland.

Javelin—Johnny Myrra, Finland.

400-meter hurdle—F. Morgan Taylor, United States.

High jump—Harold Osborne, United States.

Pentathlon—Lethonen, Finland.

Broad jump—De Hart Hubbard, United States.

Shot put, Clarence Houser, United States.

800 meters—D. G. A. Lowe, England.

110-meter hurdle—Dan Kinsey, St. Louis.

200 meters—Jackson Scholz, St. Louis.

3000-meter steeplechase—Wille Ritola, Finland.

Pole vault—Lee Barnes, United States.

1500 meters—Paavo Nurmi, Finland.

Hammer throw—Fred Tootel, United States.

5000 meters—Paavo Nurmi, Finland.

400 meters—Eric Liddell, England.

10,000-meter cross-country — Paavo Nurmi, Finland.

Hop, step and jump—Winters, Australia.

Decathlon — Harold Osborne, United States.

400-meter relay—United States (Hussey, Clarke, Murchison, Leconey).

1600-meter relay—United States (Cochran, Stevenson, McDonald, Helffrich).

Marathon—Albin Stenroos, Finland.

Discus—Bud Houser, United States.

10,000-meter walk — Frigario, Italy.

Rowing.

Collegiate—Yale.

Olympic—Yale.

Handball.

Singles—Maynar Laswell, Los Angeles A. C.

Doubles—Lane McMillan and J. Donovan, Olympic Club, San Francisco.

TIGER BASKET TEAM TO OPEN MISSOURI VALLEY PLAY JAN. 8

COLUMBIA, Mo., Dec. 20.—An abbreviated Christmas vacation sandwiched in between two periods of hard work is the program which George A. Bond, University of Missouri basket ball coach, has prepared for the Tigers in preparation for the Missouri Valley Conference season which opens Jan. 8 against Iowa State College at Ames. The Ames game is one of three in Iowa on successive nights, as the Tigers will also meet Drake and Grinnell.

The Tigers' conference schedule follows: Jan. 8 — Iowa State at Ames; Jan. 9 — Drake at Des Moines; Jan. 10—Grinnell at Grinnell; Jan. 17—Oklahoma at Columbia; Jan. 24—Drake at Columbia; Jan. 27—Washington at St. Louis; Feb. 2—Washington at Columbia; Feb. 7—Iowa State at Columbia; Feb. 9—Kansas Aggies at Manhattan; Feb. 10—Oklahoma at Norman; Feb. 14—Kansas at Columbia; Feb. 26—Grinnell at Columbia; Feb. 21—Nebraska at Columbia; Feb. 27—Nebraska at Lincoln; Feb. 28—Kansas at Lawrence; March 4—Kansas Aggies at Columbia.

MUNICIPAL SOCCER CONTESTS TODAY

Fairground, Group No. 2 — St. Matthews vs. Ben Millers, 2 p. m.; Lees vs. Trumbulls, 3:30 p. m. Referee, C. E. Roche.

Fairground, Group No. 3—Wehners vs. Unions, 2 p. m.; Nationals vs. Kenrick Council, 3:30 p. m. Referee, John H. Cradock.

Fairground, Group No. 4—Voss vs. Polish Falcons, 2 p. m.; Ancient Order Hibernians vs. Andies, 3:30 p. m. Referee, W. C. Brady.

Sherman Park—Henses vs. Morgans, 2 p. m.; Lees vs. Scott-Sullivan, 3:30 p. m. Referee, W. R. Bergin.

Forest Park—Allen-Buders vs. Wabash, 2 p. m.; Clayton & Tamm vs. St. Malachy's, 3:30 p. m. Referee, John J. Kelly.

Manchester Park—Schenberg's vs. Oscar Muelleck, 2 p. m.; Fairmound Democrat Club vs. Stmiller A. A., 3:30 p. m. Referee, John Asinger Jr.

Carondelet Park, Grounds No. 1—Koelns vs. Elites, 2 p. m.; German Sport Club vs. A. J. Vogt, 3:30 p. m. Referee, Pat Kelley.

JUNIORS.

Lemp's Park—St Agnes vs. Holy Innocents, 1 p. m. Referee, Lee Killian. St. Boniface vs. Southampton, 2:15 p. m. St. Francis de Sales vs. St. Agatha's, 3:30 p. m. Referee, Richard Wall.

Fairground, Grounds No. 5—Newstead & Natural Bridge vs. Paranos, 2 p. m. Referee, H. C. Prevallett.

BATTING AND HURLING AVERAGES OF NEW MAJOR LEAGUERS

FOLLOWING are the 1924 records of players of the Southern Association who will get trials in the big leagues next season:

Name.	Position.	Club From.	Club To.	Bat. Av.
Carlyle,	of,	Memphis	to Washington	.268
Niehaus,	1b,	Chattanooga	to Pittsburg	.266
Burrus,	1b,	Atlanta	to Braves	.265
Autry,	c,	Atlanta	to Yankees	.343
Paschal	of,	Atlanta	to Yankees	.341
Hawks,	1b,	Nashville	to Phillies	.350
H. Williams,	of,	Mobile	to Red Sox	.327
Prothro,	3b,	Memphis	to Yankees	.326
Spencer,	c,	Birmingham	to Pittsburg	.316
Smith,	of,	Memphis	to Cleveland	.298
Knode,	1b,	Birmingham	to Cleveland	.295
Hollingsworth,	p,	New Orleans	to Brooklyn	.292
McGrew,	p,	Memphis	to Giants	.284
Marriott,	3b,	Mobile	to Braves	.285
Lamotte,	ss,	Memphis	to Browns	.279
Jackson,	ss,	New Orleans	to Cleveland	.277
Wingfield,	p,	Chattanooga	to Red Sox	.272
Greene,	p,	Little Rock	to Brooklyn	.268
Hillis,	ss,	Atlanta	to Yankees	.258
Roberts,	p,	Little Rock	to Brooklyn	.243
Michaels,	ss,	Little Rock	to Cubs	.238
Francis,	p,	Atlanta	to Yankees	.233
Clarke,	p,	Birmingham	to Detroit	.208
Karr,	p,	Atlanta	to Cleveland	.197
Mitchell,	p,	Memphis	to Cleveland	.197
Kelly,	p,	Memphis	to Washington	.195
Morris,	p,	Nashville	to Reds	.190
Good,	p,	Birmingham	to Detroit	.155
Wiltse,	p,	Mobile	to Red Sox	.125
Swartz,	p,	Atlanta	to Yankees	.088
Roy,	p,	Chattanooga	to Cleveland	.081

PITCHERS' RECORDS.

Name.	W.	L.	E. R. Av.
Karr	22	10	2.75
Hollingsworth	20	11	2.75
McGrew	15	5	2.84
Francis	24	13	2.86
Kelly	14	7	2.87
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Wiltse	12	13	3.63
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Reservations have been received from the eight teams in the Peterson Scratch League and these quintets will compete on opening night. The Wellston, Craftsman, Knights of Columbus and East St. Louis leagues also have made eight reservations.

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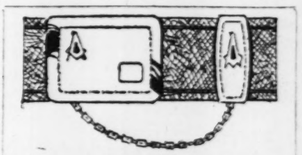

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Three teams are tied for first place in the Major City League, they being the Trumbulls, Wooster Lamberts and Witters. The Lamberts starred in the weekly round on the Rogers alleys, taking three straight from the Silver Seals. The Lamberts totaled 3079, with games of 994, 1057 and 1028. Lambert 647, Meyer 641 and Vierheller 615 were the stars for the winners. Walbel with 615 was the pace maker for the losers.

The Trumbulls, up to last week, leaders in the league, dropped three straight to the Kastors, while the Witters won the odd tilt from the Puritans. Hill Thomas captured two of three from the Medarts; Majestic Gardens captured the odd tilt from the Cabannes and the Budweisers copped two of three from the David Jones.

Steppacher was the individual star of the round with a total of 678. J. Heibel 645, Kleeburg 639 and Karls 583 were the other leaders.

"Muddy" Ruel to Compete.

"Muddy" Ruel, catcher of the World's Champion Senators, will captain one of the Paulian Council teams in the National Knights of Columbus tournament to be rolled on the Rogers alleys, starting Jan. 29, next. The council has entered seven quintets in the tournament. The other captains will be Paul Murphy, Bill Quinn, Tommy O'Hanlon, Mike Hart, J. K. Ahern and Dr. John Connors.

It is expected that Laclede and Kenrick Councils will enter 40 teams in the tournament and De Andreis 25.

Wolf Team Wins Match.

The Wolfs defeated the Schweiglers in a special match on the Saratoga alleys, 2755 to 2689. Hornecker 587 and Glaub 562 were the leaders for the losers, while Bippen, 602, with games of 191, 194 and 217 was the pacemaker for the losers. The same quintets will meet in a special match at the Grandavois alleys this afternoon.

Some real bowling was done in the Central States tournament at Detroit recently, when Ernie Hartman, rolling in the doubles, turned in a perfect game, while George De Atley of Columbus came through with a 299 game in the singles. Hartman paired with Reppenhagen, totaled 1419 for a new record in the two-man event, while De Atley with his high game was able to tie for second with 702. Gast, 704, is the leader. De Atley missed a two-pin spare in the last frame of his final game to go into the lead. Another new Central States record came when the Dave Davies of Toledo rolled 3039 in the five-man event.

Volz Gets 673 Total.

Bob Volz starred in the Newspaper League round on Peterson's alleys with a total of 673, which included games of 224, 216 and 233. Other leaders were Hill 530, Ehrgott 553, Raker 491, Dollus 497, Miller 543, Helmer 500 and Eifert 506. Results: Green Sheets 3, 49th State 0; Weather Birds 2, Societys 1; Mickey McGuires 2, Comics 1; K. S. D. 3, Pink Sheets, 0.

The Cameos of the City Handicap League rolled a high single game of 1115, one of the best in the city in some time, in the last round. In compiling the big total, Streib counted 255, Taylor 253, Ramsey 229, Mahrlein 229 and Weiss 174. Taylor was the individual star getting a total of 657. In addition to his 253, he had games of 201 and 203. Streib counted 608. Other leaders were: Bryant 543, Williamson 563, Kopp 541, Altekruse 585, Drake 530, Tiegraver 514, Hirschberg 660, with games of 232 185 and 243. Results: Cameos 2, Webers 1; Boyds 2, City Coal 1; City Coal No. 1 2, Diamond Brands 1; Weatherbirds 3, Famous-Barr 0.

Husband and Wife League.

A husband and wife bowling league with four teams entered is rolling the second and fourth Saturday in each month on the Miami alleys. The Kraus Meyers are leading with 6—0, followed by the Hinle Gabubblers 3—3; Doodle Heimers 2—4; Katzen Jammers 1—5.

There was plenty of good bowling in the Peterson Scratch League on the Peterson alleys the past week. Members who averaged 190 or better were as follows: Rothwell 603, McElhenny 584, Pflueger 594, Volz 618, Fuchs 606, Kuhnert 585, Jack Lacing 603, Joe Lacing 611, Field 571, Decker 571, Forgey 600. Results: Puritans 3, Bowling Five 0; Schweiglers 2, Medarts 1; Piggly Wigglys 2, American Zinc 1; Petersons 3, Chicago Lumbers 0.

Wooster Lambert League.

Team leaders in the Wooster Lambert League on the Congress alleys were as follows: Hartmann 572, Heibel 586, Houser 592, Fredericks 649, with games of 203, 224 and 222; Sigmund 628, Sharpe 616, Menke 545, Mussler 527, Karls 577 and Kersting 551. The Seelligs had a team total of 2936, with a high game of 1041. Results: Seeligs 3, Congress Lamberts 0; Cookes 2, Grape Boquets 1; Seitz 2, Gebhardts 1; Hills 2, Hohensteins 1.

Maenner Is High Man.

Maenner with a total of 583 was the leading individual in the Missouri Pacific League, while Schmitt with 236, had the high single game. The Mechanical Department is leading in the league race by half a game, with the Freight Receipts and Passenger Receipts tied for second.

Mrs. M. Kelly Jr. and Miss Furstenfeld, with a total of 990, won the two-woman tournament held at the Rogers alleys. Mrs. Kelly totaled 528 and her partner 462. Mrs. Musick and Mrs. Smith 976, were second and Mrs. Steis and Mrs. C. Schmitt, 970, third. Mrs. Kelly had the high single game of 262.

Gambrinus League.

High men in the Gambrinus League were as follows: Hahn 589, Bohmer 518, Tretter 571, Werder 552, Kraus 575, Puster 548, Hipp 564, Dougherty 564, Lessman 526, Eisel 578, Kannapell 538, Pingel 520, Kunkel 526, J. Kunkel 527, Roberts 593, Reifeiss 540. Results: Rooster Labels 3, Meletios 0; Witter Orange 2, Hahns 1; Hinzes 2, Belz 1; Buchers 3, Buettners 0; Brentrup Specials 3, Loesch 0; Bauers 2, Reds Juniors 1; Longwood A. C. 2, Hertleins 1; Schenbergs 2, Schumachers 1.

First National League.

Team leaders in the First National League were as follows: Wamhoff 516, Flesh 503, Hauer 536, Corey 544, Miller 585, Tabbert 564, Dunn 527, Boehmer 582. Results: Cowboys 2, Hoosiers 1; Nationals 2, Capitals 1; Spark Plugs 2, Lyrics 1; Drivers 2, Jess James Juniors 1.

Pevely Boosters League.

Pevely Boosters League matches resulted as follows: Buttermilks 2, Baby Firsts 1; Certifieds 2, Quart A Days 1; Cream Cheese 2, Butters 1; Best Milks 2, Grade A 1. High men were as follows: McLaughlin 496, Maurer 482, Magnah 557, Gleitz 512, Metzler 501, Hagemeyer 520, Becker 540, Kircher 575.

Two-Man Tourney Tonight.

A two-man tournament, with an entry fee of $4 a team will be rolled on the Rogers alleys tonight, starting at 7 o'clock. The first squad will start rolling at 7 o'clock.

Several upsets took place the past week in the Jefferson Barracks Bowling League, notably the tumbling of the Headquarters Company five from first place to fourth. Called upon to meet two of the strongest teams in the league with little or no practice the Headquarters Company team did justice to itself in the two series and the winners came through with only a small margin. Company B, winner of the cup last year, is tied for first place with E Company, while the strong I Company team is a close third. The outcome of the first half of the season hinges on tomorrow night's match between Headquarters Company and Company E. Should E Company lose one game it would drop to second place. The schedule will be completed Christmas week and after the holidays another will be drawn.

The Leopards took two out of three from the Lions and the Tigers grabbed three straight from the Wildcats in the Y. M. B. A. League. Novak 479, Smith 461, Hughes 476 and Vlesselman 499 were the team leaders.

First Baseball Association Had Pennant 'Trust'

National League Grew Out of Threat to Expel Spalding and Other Stars.

The following article in John B. Foster's series on the history of the National League, which will observe its fiftieth anniversary next year, tells of the formation of the National body.

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William A. Hulbert of Chicago, who became president of the National League after its first year of life, the Hon. Morgan G. Bulkeley having retired, was acknowledged to be the founder of the organization in a resolution passed by the National League in 1882, after Hulbert died.

The resolution follows: "Resolved, That, to him alone (William A. Hulbert), is due the credit of having founded the National League, and to his able leadership, sound judgment and impartial management, is the success of the league chiefly due."

It was a fine tribute to pay to Hulbert, and it was well deserved, but, as a matter of fact, Albert G. Spalding was quite as much a participant in the formation of the league as Hulbert. Spalding, however, was a player, and his name did not figure as prominently as that of Hulbert.

When Hulbert had to strike at the root of the evil that had threatened baseball during all its existence—association between the gamblers and the players—he expelled four men from the league, and, despite all entreaty, turned a deaf ear to their reinstatement.

The story of how the National League came to be formed, as Spalding has told it, and considering the fact that there were only two men 'in at the formation," is interesting.

There had been much trouble in the old National Association with the gamblers and the fact that the championship seemed to run one way all of the time. Even in those days there was such a thing as too much championship in one city.

Spalding had broken away from the Boston club to go back to Chicago hoping that the game would revive in the West. There were five players with him. It had been rumored that when the meeting of the National Association was held all of these players would be expelled from baseball.

Spalding was to go to the Chicago club, of which Hulbert was president, and so informed him of the fact. Hulbert insisted to Spalding that he could not be expelled.

"In the eyes of the public," the then Chicago president said, "you six players are stronger than the whole association. Spalding, I have a new scheme. Let us organize a new association before the March meeting, and then see who will do the expelling."

That scheme became reality and it was from this thought that the National League came into existence.

Daily conferences followed this until the plans were worked out and a meeting in Louisville was decided on, but the meeting had to be kept secret. If the Eastern clubs had obtained word of what was going on they would have put every obstacle in the way of the league. Thus it is also apparent that it was Western influence which was behind the National League and it is a fact of some interest that both major leagues had their inception in the West.

Hulbert was determined that the name of the new league should recognize clubs and not players and so he decided upon the title of "The National League of Professional Baseball Clubs," which remains today.

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"Brown Panther" in 1918 Got Revenge for Many Defeats Suffered in Series of Bouts Strung Out Over Five Years.

Sam Langford's first knockout defeat, which came at the hands of Harry Wills, is described in this excerpt from the life story of the "Boston Tar Baby," as told through a representative of the Post-Dispatch.

THIS is all about Harry Wills. I don't remember just how many times I fooled around with that big boy, but I'm glad I don't have to do it any more. I'm older now and I have too much sense to be wanting to get my neck broken, if I was still fighting.

Somewhere along in the early part of 1914, I didn't have anything else to do, so I went to New Orleans, and while I was loafing around somebody asked me, "Will you box Harry Wills?" and I said, "Sure—who is he?" and they told me he was a big black boy, awfully green but mighty tough.

We went 10 rounds no-decision—and that satisfied me. For that Wills sure was a powerful baby and he was developing fast. He was only 20 or 21 then, but he knew quite a few tricks about fighting and he was one of those learning kind.

After that Wills went to the Pacific Coast and made quite a hit out there. Pretty soon he ran out of opponents. Then Tom McCarey, a matchmaker, thought about me, and asked Wills if he wanted to fight me. Harry said, "Yes." Carey telegraphed me and I wires "Yes," and jumped out to the coast, and both of us got down to hard training. I knew I'd have to be in shape to get that boy.

The fight, which took place late in 1914, was to go 20 rounds.

Harry's Swing Didn't Miss.

WITH the first bell, we both rushed out and took a swing. Mine missed. Harry's—a right-hand bone-crusher—hit me on the chin. I went down, got up and was knocked down again. Wills had me on the floor six times in that first round and, when the second began, a lot of folks thought it looked like good night for Thammy.,

But Thammy hadn't been fooling around in the ring for about 12 years without learning a little something about what to do when in trouble. So he stalled and kept out of the way for a few rounds until the buzzes got out of his head and his legs came back from where Wills had knocked them.

But that Harry wasn't so dumb—even then. He was stronger than I was, and he got me in clinches and hammered me. So I kept away from clinches and used my legs as much as I could, putting all my hope in one punch.

Wills had won every round up to and including the thirteenth.

We came out for the fourteenth. Harry on the run, hoping to finish me. He wasn't covered as well as he should have been. I saw an opening for his chin. Putting everything I had into a right-hand overhead drive, I let go. Wills went down, and was counted out.

First Knockout Defeat.

WE fought 10 rounds, no-decision, in 1915. In 1916 we had two no-decision bouts, and also I beat him twice that year, once on decision and the other time on knockout in 19 rounds. In 1917 we fought no-decision four times—and then came 1918, when Harry got his revenge and I suffered the first knockout defeat I ever had known up to that time.

A promoter matched us for a fight in Panama. In the sixth round Harry made one of his terrible swings. I saw it coming, tried to get out of the way, and——

Well, I was lying on a cot in my dressing room. I saw Joe Woodman, my manager, standing over me. I said:

"When do we fight?" Ain't it almost time for use to get into the ring?"

Joe said:

"You've done all the fighting you're going to do today."

That sounded funny to me. I thought Joe was joking. So I said:

"What do you mean?"

And Joe said: "The fight is all over."

I began to do some hard thinking then, and finally I remembered about that right hand coming at me.

"What happened?" I asked Joe.

"Oh, nothing—except you forgot to duck."

I didn't say anything for awhile. Then I asked Joe:

"How long ago was that?"

Joe took out his watch, looked at it—and said:

"One hour and 25 minutes ago."

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TEAMS OF 32 MEN CLIMB STEEP HILL IN RACE IN ENGLAND

LONDON, Dec. 20.

A NOVEL race was held at Aldershot, England, recently, when 544 officers and men competed for the Duke of Connaught's Shield.

The conditions required teams of 32 men to run a mile, by compass bearings, over some of the roughest ground in Aldershot, in foggy weather, and then to surmount an almost precipitous hill, 300 feet high, wearing full battle kit, with gas masks and shrapnel helmets, carrying rifles and guns, and to accomplish the entire journey inside 15 minutes. But for the fog this time would probably have been beaten, but as it was the best time recorded for a full team was 15.47. The runners were supposed to be under artillery fire, and marks were awarded for condition, control and escape from fire attack.

The winner was the First East Lancers Regiment, with 284 points out of a possible 300.

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FIRST DERBY ODDS FAVOR MASTER CHARLIE, CAPTAIN HAL, STIMULU

10 to 1 Quoted Against Crack Two-Year-Olds

Star Lore at 12 to 1 Next in List—Kentucky Cardinal 25 to 1.

NOMINATIONS ARE OPEN

Last Year's Record of 174 Names Expected to Be Equaled.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 20.—One student of the form of race horses, who is as much of a fan for racing as the veriest cross-word puzzle "bug," has presented a list of coming Kentucky Derby possibilities with his rating of the merits of the youngsters as two-year-olds.

While the official entries for the Kentucky Derby will not be announced before March 1, 1925, and the nominations will not close before the last week of February, this "figurer" of the dope has included many of the best 2-year-olds that raced this season with the odds which could be laid in the future books with a fair price on each one. The list and odds follow:

10 to 1—Master Charlie, Capt. Hal, Stimulus.

12 to 1—Star Lore.

15 to 1—Single Foot, Mother Goose.

20 to 1—Candy Kid, Swinging.

25 to 1—Sumpter, Sunny Man, Kentucky Cardinal, Lee O. Cotner, Maud Muller, Young Martin, Sunsard.

30 to 1—Blue Warbler, Brown Sugar, American Flag, Zuker, King Nadi.

40 to 1—Tilka, Blue Ridge, Annihilator, Swope, Almadel, Reputation, Royalite, Superlette, Nedana.

50 to 1—Stepalong, Balboa, Primrose, Turf Idol, Flying Ebony, Abstract, Buttin' In, Supremus, Menifee, By Hisself, Dangerous, Senalado, False Face, Sarzana, Beatrice, Adolphus, Nicholas, Sweep Park, Little Visitor, Mark Master.

100 to 1—Traymore, Louis Rubenstein, Barney Google, Brave Bob, Superfrank, Cup Bearer, Singleband, Winter Street, Downtown, Sir Peter, Cherubu, Col. Stewart, Sola Mia.

174 Entries in 1924.

There were 174 nominations for the Derby last year. It is expected an equal number and probably more will be named for the Derby of 1925.

It is recalled that Black Gold was the first winner of the Derby in years to come from behind in the stretch and get up in time to win the big purse. When Zev won in 1923 he led all the way. Morvich took the lead at the start in 1922 and was never headed.

The only filly that ever won the Kentucky classic, Regret, led all the way.

ST. MATTHEWS OPPOSE BEN MILLERS TODAY IN PARK SOCCER GAME

The double-header scheduled on Grounds Two at Fairground Park this afternoon does not present its usual promising situation for the two strong clubs are drawn against the weaker teams.

The St. Matthews will oppose John Marre's Ben Millers and the St. Leos are drawn against the Trumbulls. The Ben Millers lost by a 5-to-2 score in their last previous meeting with the Matthews, but the Matthews were favored by the breaks. The Matthews have five ex-professional league players in their lineup.

At Manchester Park the Fairmount Club will oppose the Strollers in the feature match.

A close game is expected at Grounds Three at Fairground when the Kenrick team meets the Nationals.

DRAKE PLANS SPECIAL NURMI-RITOLA RACE

By the Associated Press.

DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 20.—An effort to bring Paavo Nurmi and Willie Ritola, famous Finnish athletes to the 1925 Drake relay meet here in April to run in a special one or two mile exhibition race, is being made by Athletic Director Wilson of Drake University, it became known tonight.

Wilson has an appointment with Ritola in New York during the holidays and expects to make definite arrangements at that time.

BRITISH SOCCER LEAGUE RESULTS

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—Results of league soccer football games played today were as follows:

ENGLISH LEAGUE.

FIRST DIVISION.

Arsenal 8, Leeds U. 1; Aston Villa 3, Burnley 0; Black Burn 3, Cardiff City 1; Derby 0, West Brom A. 2; Huddersfield 3, Preston N. E. 0; Liverpool 0; Bolton W. 0; Manchester C. 2, Birmingham 2; New Castle U. 1, Notts County 0; Nottingham F. 1, Tottenham H. 0; Sheffield U. 1, Everton 1; Westham U. 4, Sunderland 1.

SECOND DIVISION.

Barnsley 3, Chelsea 3; Blackpool 1, Oldham A. 2; Bradford C. 1, Leicester City 1; Derby County 5, Coventry C. 1; Fulham 3, Crystal Palace 1; Hull City 4, The Wednesday 2; Middlesborough 1, Stockport C. 1; Portsmouth 0, Clapton C. 2; Provide 2, Manchester U. 1; South Shields 4, Stoken 0; Wolverham 6, Southampton 0.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE.

FIRST DIVISION.

Aberdeen 3, Third Lanark 1; Celtic 0, Hamilton A. 2; Cowdenbeath 4, Ayr United 0; Dunder 3, Arbroath 2; Hibernians 5, St. Johnstone 0; Kilmarnock 3, Hallbearers 0; Motherwal 0, Hearts 0; Partickthistle 2, Falkirk 0; Queens Park 0, Norton 2; St. Mirren 1, Rangers 4.

Longworth Advises a Half-Swing In Making Shots With Midiron

Country Club Professional Uses Stance That Is Nearly Square, With Ball Near Left Foot—Club Gripped at Middle of Leather Grip.

By Art Longworth,
Professional, St. Louis Country Club.

ARTICLE NO. 7—THE MIDIRON.

(Copyright, 1924.)

A. Longworth.

As the name suggests, the midiron is a club for shots ranging from 135 to 170 yards, depending on the player. I advise that a more powerful club be used where greater distance is wanted.

The swing for the midiron should be a half swing or not more than a three-quarter swing.

Naturally, with a three-quarter or half swing, you have better control and you can be more certain in applying the force in hitting the ball.

Use a stance that is almost square, just a trifle open, and play the ball nearer the left foot. Grip the club at about the middle of the leather grip. Never hold a club on the extreme end. As doing this takes away your hit and makes your swing too much of a sweep.

Have your weight equally distributed on both feet.

In taking your club back let the left hand do the work and let the club head follow backward the continuation of the imaginary line of flight of the ball. Keep a straight left arm, meantime, and let the toe of the club lie open, that is, don't turn the toe in.

As the club head goes back let the left knee go in toward the ball and to get the right twist of the waist on the backswing let the left hip push against the right hip. At the top of the backswing your left heel should be slightly raised, with pressure on the ball of the left foot. Weight at the top of the swing should be about equally distributed, with a little more weight on the right than on the left.

The Follow-Through.

In starting the down stroke pull both hands and start applying the actual hit as the hands reach the hips on the downstroke. Do not check your hit until the ball is on its way. Let the club head go on out after the ball, finishing the shot with a straight left leg, with weight on your left and the body facing the hole.

Hit the ball on the downstroke and take a little turf. Keep that left arm straight and strive for a compact swing.

RACING RESULTS

At Jefferson Park.

Weather, cloudy; track, fast.

FIRST RACE, $700, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, mile and 70 yards—Dr. Glenn, 106 (Garrity), 4 to 2, even and 1 to 2, first; Quaver, 103 (Swanson), 5 to 1 and 2 to 5, second; Rork, 106 (Stevens), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:46. Sophia Marie, Auring, Blaskoila, Col. Warner, Trust One, Strial, Miss Anne Pratt, Stumpy Jr., Rock Bottom, Ernest B also ran. Ernest B. ran out.

SECOND RACE, $700, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, six furlongs—King of the Spa 111 (Majestic), 8 to 1, 3 to 1, 8 to 5, first; Sunny Girl 111 (C. Lang), 6 to 1, even, second; Theo 107 (Montgomery), 3 to 5, third. Time, 1:12 1-5. Remnant, Lady Boss, Elusive, Rubien, Judge Breuer, Medina, Sunny Light, Lester Doctor and Polly Mara also ran.

THIRD RACE, $700, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, mile and 70 yards—Goldfield 103 (D. Fisher), 7 to 2, 7 to 5, 3 to 5, first; Loveliness 106 (Mercier), even, 1 to 2, second; Despair 106 (Harvey), 3 to 5, third. Time, 1:45 1-5. Mayor Carrol, Sea Court, Previeux, Sievebloom, Korbly and Briarcliff also ran. Previeux broke down and pulled up.

FOURTH RACE, $700, claiming, 2-year-olds, six furlongs—Mabel C., 109 (Roehm), 4 to 1, 8 to 5 and 4 to 5, first; Mamoud, 113 (Thurber), 6 to 5 and 3 to 5, second; Bad Luck, 98 (Harvey), 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:18 1-5. Al Levy, Transformer, Frightful, Tangara, Gad, Before, Channel, Escolane and Storm Cloud also ran.

FIFTH RACE, St. Charles Hotel Handicap, $1000, all ages, six furlongs—Brad ley's Toney 115 (Mercier), 11 to 5, 3 to 5, 1 to 4, first; Little Visitor 104 (Harvey), 5 to 2, 1 to 3, second; Mom's Boy 102 (L. Lang), 1 to 2, third. Time, 1:13. Setko and Magic Wand also ran.

SIXTH RACE, $700, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, mile and a half, Good Night, 103 (Weiner), 6 to 1, 2 to 1, even, first; Frank Gallor 106 (McCoy), even, 1 to 5, second; Lee Adrin, 92 (Dolin), 1 to 2, third. Time, 2:34 3-5. Van Patrick, Hunonee and Dorius also ran.

SEVENTH RACE, $700, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, mile and sixteenth—Handy Brush 103 (Jones), 7 to 2, 2 to 3 to 5, first; Polvo 106 (Mergler), 4 to 5, 2 to 5, second; Nogales 106 (Hourigan), even, third. Time, 1:47. Cloister, Socrattaroya, Marsdale Aspiration and Grace Mayers also ran.

Jefferson Park Scratches.

First race, War Mask, War Prize, Atta Boy II, Permarco, Royal Charlie. Second race, Merimac, Elemental, French Canadian, Boothlack, Wafer Girl, Sequel. Third race, Stone Age, Spurs, Little Animie, Miracle Man, Wr. Idol Boy, From Home, Blanche E. Fourth race, Battle Man, God Renesor, Jedburg, Abbey, Marjorie M., Gipsy Flyer, Boo Hoo. Seventh race, Provident, John Finn, Erica, Llewellyn, Rupee.

At Havana.

Weather, clear; track, fast

FIRST RACE 3-year-olds and up, claiming, $600, six furlongs—Leslie 101 (Allan), 8 to 5, 1 to 2, first; Gon within 104 (Alliker), 5 to 2, 6 to 5, second; San Diego 106 (Burns), 4 to 5, third. Time, 1:14. Black Mask, Rivulet, Haran, Meadow Lawn, Peter Pierson, Big Wiz Momentum and St Angelena also ran.

SECOND RACE, for maidens, 2-year-olds, claiming, $600, five and a half furlongs—Belle Fay 107 (Peterne), 8 to 1, 3 to 1, 8 to 5, first; Lord Vacrave 107 (Connors), 2 to 5, 1 to 5, second; Bruce O'Grady 112 (H Calahan), 6 to 5, third Time, 1:08 1-5. Wildmida, All Irish, Left Alone, Vain Elle, Carib also ran. Scent ran the first 7-8ths.

THIRD RACE, 3-year-olds and up, claiming, $600, five and one-half furlongs—Follow Me 99 (Noel), 8 to 5, 1 to 2, 1 to 4, first; Co. Pat 107 (Elston), 7 to 10, 1 to 3, second; Somerby 107 (Tauriello), 4 to 5, third. Time, 1:07 4-5. Reoland, Will B, Miriam Wood, Corenne and Pat Hammon also ran.

FOURTH RACE, maidens, 2-year-olds, claiming, $600 five and one-half furlongs—Gold Ball 115 (Pickens), 2 to 1, 7 to 10, 1 to 3, first; St. Faust 15 (Hoan), 1 to 2, 1 to 4, second; Cora 115 (Twomblick), 10 to 5, third. Time, 1:08. Battle Dore, Vivian Odell, Oriental, Blue, Darkwood and Both Baron also ran.

FIFTH RACE, 2-year-olds, claiming, 600 five and a half furlongs—High Skip 103 (Noel), 8 to 5, 2 to 5, 1 to 5, first; Bobs Hone 103 (Charles), 8 to 5, 4 to 5, second; Ethel F. 105 (Burns), 6 to 5, third. Time, 1:08. Jessie Jr., Rock Garden, Rock of Ages, Mitzie McGee, Gold Crumb and Blue Goose also ran.

SIXTH RACE, all ages, handicap, $1000, five and a half furlongs—Variation 109 (Fernia), 8 to 5, 2 to 5, out, first; Jewell V. 107 (Hoffa), even, out, second; Tesuque 103 (Smith), out, third. Time, 1:06. Marionette and Sunbrae also ran.

SEVENTH RACE, $700, 3-year-olds and up, claiming, mile and 70 yards—Second 109 (Ferrat), 6 to 1, 2 to 1, even, first; Marble 107 (Foster), 6 to 1, 2 to 1, 2 to 5, second; Gailford 104 (Helecko), 2 to 5, third. Time 1:45 2-5. Capt. Adams, Cautious and Witch Flower also ran.

Havana Scratches.

First race, Castilla, Locarno, Beg Pardon, Neptune, Acoochia II, Verbena. Third race, Solomon's Kiln. Sixth race, Clear View. Seventh race, Dantic, Reliability High Gear.

At Tia Juana.

FIRST RACE, claiming, five furlongs, 3-year-olds and up, purse $600—Wild Thoughts 110 (Frederick), $12.60, $4.60, $3.20, first; Scamper 102 (Cowan), $5.60, $4.20, second; Lady Victor 102 (Pendercast Madison, Coombs, Dr. Hall, Virginia Carleton, Chat G. and Harry Davis Jr. also ran.

SECOND RACE, claiming, five furlongs, 3-year-olds and up, claiming, purse $600—Chance 110 (Lang), $4.40, $3.20, $2.40, first; Little Less 106 (Edwards), $4.80, $2.80, $2.40, second; Jockey Hays 104 (Chaber), $3.40, third. Time, 1:04 4-5. Good Hope, Dr. Hays, Effie Randall, Sweet Note, Chairsenor, Dr. T. S. Dabney also ran.

THIRD RACE, one mile, claiming, all ages, purse $600—Rebecca G. 92 (Nogales), $8.20, $3.60, $3 00, first; Alamoor 104 (Millers), $6.60, $4.00, second; Wm. Whinaw 108 (Martin), $5.00, third. Time, 1:48. Fayette Girl, Dover, Donita and Lady Marc also ran.

FOURTH RACE, one mile, claiming, all ages, purse $600—Jay Mac 102 (Molter), $72.60, $23.00, $10.70, first; Zinz 110 (Griffin), $4.20, $3.00, second; Billy Gibson 103 (Edwards), $4.60, third. Time, 1:47. Yorkshire Relish, Car, Poacher, Cadmus and Bowsor I also ran.

FIFTH RACE, One mile, handicap, 2-year-olds, purse $1000—Marie K. 108 (Gormler), $12.50, $5.80, $4, first; Minstrel Boy 104 (Tadin, $4.60, $4.60, second; Rundark 103 (Edwards), $4.80, third. Time, 1:45. Skit also ran. Xirwin entry. Renolathe won, but was disqualified for interference.

SIXTH RACE, claiming, 4½ furlongs, all ages, $800—Nellie 102 (Hoag, $18.80, $7.00, $3.00, first; Lady Gorham, 108 (Fisher), $6.00, $3.40, second; Easter Bells, 116 (Francesco), $2.60, third. Time, :50 1-5. Queen Bess, No Enough, False Face, Queen Bess, No Wild Heather and Speedball also ran.

SEVENTH RACE, claiming, mile and 70 yards, 3-year-olds and up, $800—The Falconer, 112 (Edwards), $14.80, $6.00, $5.00, first; Little Chair, 99 (Bourman), $11.60, $5.60, second; Sasper, 110 (McHugh), $3.60, third. Time, 1:49. June Fly, Super King, Cruzers and Nebraska Lad also ran.

EIGHTH RACE, claiming, six furlongs, fillies and mares, 3-year-olds and up, $700—Sister Josella 115 (Berg), $12.20, $4.80, $3.80, first; Nan McKinney 101 (Fisher), $4.40, $2.80, second; Mary Century 110 (Young), $5.60, third. Time, 1:16 4-5. Miss Nantura, Miss Emma G., Bedazale, Royal Queen and Contribution also ran.

Tia Juana Scratches.

First race, Quinam, Rubivart. Third race, Stylish Miss and Lassiter. Fourth race, Mary Jane Baker, Tooters, Humma.

NEW SCORING SYSTEM FOR BOXING SHOWS

Continued From Page 1-S.

William S. Haddock of Pittsburg, vice president of the National A. A. U., who accompanied the team of boxers from Pittsburg.

"If the point scoring system demanded by the A. A. U. had been in vogue, Pittsburg would not have lost the Flasher decision," writes Haddock.

Promoters Harry Cook and James Solari have announced that they hope to make their show of Dec. 30 as representative, if not as lengthy, as the tournament held two weeks ago.

Invitations have been sent to A. A. U. authoritise in 10 cities.

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Dayton and Rolla Seek 1925 Games With Billikens

If Contests Are Arranged Only Two Open Dates Will Remain on Football Schedule.

St. Louis University is negotiating for two football contests for next year, which if arranged will leave only two open dates on the 1925 schedule. The two games in prospect are with the Rolla Miners for Oct. 31 and the University of Dayton for Nov. 14.

As the 1925 card stands to date with but five contests assured, it is an impressive array of talent.

The schedule so far is as follows:

Sept. 26, Springfield Normal at home.
Oct. 3. Open.
Oct. 10. University of Iowa at Iowa City.
Oct. 17. Open.
Oct. 20. Army at West Point.
Oct. 31. Open (probably Rolla at home).
Nov. 7. Detroit University at Detroit.
Nov. 14. Open (possibly University of Dayton at home).
Nov. 21. Carnegie Tech at home.
Nov. 26 (Thanksgiving). Open.

The list shows two big intersectional contests, one played here with Carnegie Tech and another in the East with Army. Another such game is in prospect with the University of Maryland which has requested the Thanksgiving day date now open.

The rest of the schedule will probably be taken care of during the week.

Coach Savage and his assistant, Harvey Brown, will have 50 or more candidates to take him through the season as contrasted with the 25 men who constituted his squad in 1924.

MUNICIPAL QUINTETS IDLE DURING HOLIDAYS

Announcement has been made by William F. Yorger, superintendent of recreation, that the teams of the Municipal Basket Ball League would play no games during the holidays. The next clashes in both the men's and women's divisions will be played Jan. 5 next.

High School Basket Team Wins Its 148th Consecutive Game

By the Associated Press.

PASSAIC, N. J., Dec. 20.—The Passaic High School basket ball five, which established a world's record last season by winning 147 consecutive games during five undefeated seasons, today started another season by increasing its string of wins to 148. The team scored a 74-to-15 victory over the Pearl River High School of New York State.

Hall to Oppose Layton Tuesday

St. Louis Billiardist to Make Debut in Three-Cushion League in Chicago.

Allen Hall, Western amateur three-cushion champion and former city title holder, will make his debut in the National League, Tuesday, when he opposes Johnny Layton, local star and a former world's champion, at the Bensinger Hall in Chicago, in afternoon and evening matches. Hall this week accepted terms to take the place of Pierre Maupome, the Mexican star, and departed for Chicago last night.

After his match against Layton in Chicago, Hall will rest for a week, and then go on his first road trip. His first rival will be Tiff Denton, a former champion, at Kansas City, Dec. 29. The following day he returns here for two engagements with Layton, and on Jan. 2 he meets Arthur Thurnblad in Milwaukee.

Hall will take the standing of Maupome in the National League. The Mexican, when he was forced to return home because of illness, was in sixth place with 11 victories against nine defeats. For quite a time at the start of the year he was in first place, but later slipped.

The departure of Hall to join the ranks of the professionals will leave an opening in the City Handicap League, as the Western champion had been representing Corse's Hall in the competition.

The St. Louis youth gained his chance in the national title league through his great playing in the Western amateur championship tournament, held at Chicago last spring, when he won seven straight games to capture the championship.

Hall is one of the best amateurs ever developed in St. Louis, and is capable of averaging close to one over a stretch of games. In an exhibition with Willie Hoppe here the last week he scored 17 points in 25 innings.

St. Louis Squash Tennis Players to Go to Cincinnati

Members of the University and Racquet Clubs to Play in Western Tournament.

Squash tennis players of the University Club and the Racquet Club will go to Cincinnati the latter part of January to play in the Western squash tournament to be held in that city. The tournament was held in St. Louis at the Racquet Club last January and resulted in an individual victory for Cary Harrison of Cincinnati, while the Cincinnati University Club won the team contest.

Among the St. Louisans expected to make the trip are: Andy McCreery, Roland Hoerr, Humphrey Gifford, Maury Hill, John Shepley and Jim Wear of the University Club and Eddie Limberg, Brooks Spencer and Sam Kennard of the Racquet Club.

The Athletic Committee of the University Club is negotiating with squash tennis players in Omaha and St. Paul with a view to playing matches here.

Matches in the University Club tournament played yesterday resulted as follows:

Lee Fischel defeated Jim Franciscus, 13—12, 11—15, 15—9.

Ellis Fischel defeated T. L. Brookes, 15—13, 15—12, 17—16.

H. H. Yates defeated E. R. Gardner, 15—12, 15—3.

W. H. Barrett defeated E. Christenson, 17—14, 15—11.

J. P. Meyer defeated A. B. Day, 11—15, 18—14, 18—13.

J. M. Farish defeated George Paisley, 15—13, 18—13.

Elliott Whitbread defeated A. S. Kendall, 15—12, 15—6.

H. C. Pollock defeated Louis La Croix, 3—15, 15—10, 15—10.

RACING ENTRIES

At Jefferson Park. For Tomorrow.

First race, $700, claiming, all ages, maidens, six furlongs:

Ticker	118	*Wattle	100
Jack Paine II	118	*Nora Hayes	100
Kennesaw	118	Also eligible:	
See It Through	118	*Good Morning	110
Buck Jones	113	Shanghai	108
Clique	108	*Peter Decoy	103
*Koellia	113	Winsome Lady	103
Valentino	108	*Lizzie N	100
Miss Bezetto	105	Silver Faine	115
*Head Line	103		

second race, $700, 2-year-olds and up, six furlongs:

Judge Breuer	115	*Gee	107
Wild Goose	112	*Eventide	107
Black Ruler	112	Also eligible:	
*Sea Wolf	110	Charles Henry	115
*Royal Dick	110	Boots and Shoes	112
Florence W	105	Ebony Belle	109
Lucky Strike	107	*Boot Black	110
*Kindred	107	Despard	112
*Iaaman	107	*French Canadian	110
*Proceeds	107		

third race, $700, 3-year-olds and up, mile and an eighth:

David Harum	112	Sweet Lynch	103
*Fred Kinney	111	*Gladys	100
Bush Buck	108	Also eligible:	
*Gem	108	Smarty	112
Telescope	108	Zanzibar	108
*Dempjon	107	Atta Boy II	107
*Frank Monroe	107	Rupee Girl	111
*Taylor Hay	107	*May Girl	108
*Whirling Sun	107	*Peace Pal	107
*Alluring	104		

Fourth race, $700, 3-year-olds and up, claiming, handicap, six furlongs:

eLeatherwood	115	Gorget	108
Saddy Hatch	114	Pot Jola	103
Golf	110	Pete the Scribe	103
Price Recent	109	Julia M	103
Swan Pine	106		

Fifth race, $1000, the Derby Prospects 3-year-olds, one mile:

Elector	118	The Badger	103
Lucifer	118	Pedagogue	103
Ft. Charles	113	Frightful	103

Sixth race, $700, for 3-year-olds and up, mile and a sixteenth:

Modo	106	The Post	103
John Finn	106	Moms Boy	103
Edward Gray	106		

Seventh race, $700, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, mile and a sixteenth:

*Nogales	112	*Bench Manager	106
Snow Maiden	111	*Battle Shoe	103
*Queen Charming	106	*Johnny Jewell	109

Weather cloudy; track fast.
*Apprentice allowance claimed.

At Havana. For Today.

First race, claiming, $600, 3-year-olds and up, six furlongs:

Joe Joe	113	Little Black	
Bodanzky	110	Sheep	110
Needy	110	Czardom	113
Haran	113	Pony Express	113
Verniak	112	Countess Clarridge	105
Jacobean	113		
Sky Man	113		

Second race, claiming, $600, 3-year-olds and up, six furlongs:

Drapery	113	Sanche Pansy	113
Louise Warren	105	Rivulet	110
Horinga	110	Forewarn	113
Aeoolia II	113	War Garden	113
Celia	105	Serbian	113
		Biddiedee	110

Third race, claiming, $700, 2-year-olds, five and one-half furlongs:

Starmalia	105	Danger Cross	108
Rocky	108	Rocking	103
The Abbott	108	*Hinddick	103

Fourth race, all ages, claiming, $600, six furlongs:

Kathleen K.	109	*Crystal Boy	93
Horsfal	108	*Green Briar	103
*Tom Saunders	108	*Tubby A.	108
*Pull Moon	105	Collie Tokalon	111
*Lank	114	Copyright	111
*Col. Pat	114	*Twombella	112

Fifth race, claiming, handicap, $600, all ages, six furlongs:

Gallcon	107	Jay Boy II	105
The American		Perhaps	107
Mill Boy	103	Cuba Encanto	107
Leona Dare	100		

Sixth race, $1500, 3-year-olds and handicap, mile and one-sixteenth:

Randel	102	Reap	
Three Sahib	104	Rensch and Eagerness	103
*Altissimo	113	Beauty	
Jewell V. D.	100	George Ruffin	

*Padrett and Dougherty entry.

Seventh race, $600, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, mile and one-sixteenth:

*Attorney	110	Calyx	
Caesar	107	II	
Bill Head	107	*Herman	
*Kenmare	90	Whipper	
Peter Pierson	102	Monolite	
St. Paul	100	*Hugh Gor	
*Turs	102	*Tobacco	
*Gold Leaf	94	*Fapele	
D'Honneur	104		

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

At Tijuana. For Today.

First race, six furlongs, claiming, all ages:

Super Lady	97	Arctic Kin	
Beth Page	97	Grayson	
Col. Matt	106	Capt. Jim	
Short Chance	109	Debil Gir	
Chick Barsley	109	Pragmatic	
H. C. Basch	106	Mahomet	
Miss Shasta	95	Star of L	
Miss Edna	101	Emma Mc	
Woodie Montgomery	109	Silver Ma	

Second race, one mile and 70 yards, claiming, 3-year-olds and up:

Torwida	99	Romulus	
Martha L.	99	Lengo	
Ten Can	101	Full of Pe	

Third race, one mile and 70 yards, handicap, 3-year-olds and up, purse $600:

Ebb Tide	110	Hyasom	
Sasser	108	Black Wal	
My Daddy	108	Wood Lady	
Irish Buzzer	104		

Fourth race, Morena Lake Handicap, six furlongs, 3-year-olds, $1000:

Solo and Span	109	Time Expose	
Free Booter	114	Combator	
Batsman	94	Lengo	
Deputy	108	Runsome	
Confusion	104	Combator, Sp	
Spreckels' entry.			

Batsman and Time Exposure, Public entry.

Solo and Span and Sunspen, J. C. Mc entry.

Fifth race, handicap, $1200, one and 70 yards, 3-year-olds and up:

Tracer	90	All Over	
Firm Friend	107	Ben Hur	
Paula Shay	98	Cherry Tim	

Sixth race—Six furlongs, claiming, 3-year-olds, $700:

Home Run	93	Kosmos	
Moon Child	102	Seth's Beau	
Helen Van	108	Sweet Grass	
Subtle	110	Flitterbelle	
Flirt Sixty	112	That's the Tim	
Steve E.	84	Lady Mac	
Brian Dear	105		

Seventh race—One mile, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, $700:

Tis Seth	95	Weddler Prin	
The Lamb	109	Jolly Lovejoy	
Apricot	103	Brian Kent	
Koala	110	Dionedale	
Manikeu II	109	Buddy	
Wynnewood	100	Zealot	
Noon Glide	104	Piedra	
Haiti	110		

Eighth race—The Sweet Water Handicap, $1000:

Five Bricht	90	Canute	
Malvern	102	Dallahan	
Frank Fogarty	113	Glanmore	
Willow Tree	93		

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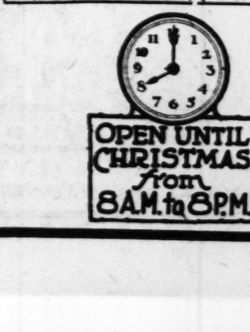

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Tippo Sahib	104	Rough and Ready	105
Eagerness	103		
aAltissimo	113	aBucado	110
Jewell V. D.	106	George Ruffan	108

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*Attorney	110	Calycadour	
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Bill Head	107	*Eelman	107
*Kennmare	99	Whippet	107
*Peter Pierson	102	Montillo	107
*St. Paul	104	*High Gear	107
*Tuxa	102	*Tableau	107
*Gold Leaf	94	*Fayelle	99
D'Honneur	104		

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

At TIjuana. For Today.

First race, six furlongs, claiming, $800, all ages:

Super Lady	95	Arctic King	100
Beth Page	98	Grayson	100
Col. Matt	106	Capt. Tom	100
Short Change	109	Delhi Girl	114
Chick Barkley	109	Proclamation	106
H. C. Basch	106	Makzavena	106
Miss Shasta	95	Star of Eve	109
Miss Edna	101	Emma Williams	103
Woodie Montgomery	109	Challenger	101

Second race, one mile and one-quarter, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, $700:

Torsida	99	Romulus	
Martha L.	107	Louis	106
Ten Can	101	Full of Fun	103

Third race, one mile and 70 yards, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, $700:

Ebb Tide	110	Hyanpom	104
Samec	105	Black Wand	104
My Daddy	108	Wood Lady	104
Irish Buzzer	104		

Fourth race, Morena Lake Handicap, six furlongs, 3-year-olds, $1000:

Spic and Span	109	Time Exposure	118
Free Booter	114	Combustor	107
Batsman	94	Runclar	107
Deputy	108	Sunspero	109

Confusion and Combustor, Rudolph Spreckels' entry.

Batsman and Time Exposure, Pueblo entry.

Spic and Span and Sunspero, J. C. McGill entry.

Fifth race, handicap, $1200, one mile and 70 yards, 3-year-olds and up:

Tracey	90	All Over	
Firm Friend	107	Bon Hommes	107
Paula Shay	98	Cherry Tree	114

Sixth race—Six furlongs. Claiming 3-year-olds, $700:

Home Run	93	Kosman	109
Moon Child	105	Seth's Bacon	118
Helen Van	108	Sweet Grass	
Subtle	110	Flitterbelle	105
Eight Sixty	112	That's the Time	110
Steve E.	94	Lena Wood	105
Brian Dear	105		

Seventh race—One mile, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, $700:

Tis Seth	95	Wedding Price	113
The Lamb	100	Jolly Zeebas	105
Apricot	103	Brian Kent	102
Koala	110	Homede	105
Maniken II	109	Ruddy	109
Wynnewood	100	Zealot	113
Noon Glide	103	Piedra	97
Halu	110		

Eighth race—The Sweet Water Lake claiming, handicap, $1000:

Eva Bright	90	Canute	101
Malvern	102	Dallahm	104
Frank Fogarty	113	Glanmore	107
Willow Tree	93		

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U. S. SEIZES BRITISH SCHOONER

$500,000 in Liquor Found on Vessel in Connecticut Waters.

By the Associated Press.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Dec. 20.—To enable the crew of the British schooner J. Duffy, seized by a coast guard vessel as a rum runner, off Cornfield Shoals today, to obtain counsel, the hearing before United States Commissioner Earl Mathewson, set for this afternoon, was postponed until Jan. 3. All the crew members are British subjects and each is held in $2500 bonds.

The liquor on board the J. Duffy is said to be worth $800,000 and in quantity is the greatest amount yet seized in Connecticut waters. The holds were packed solidly with cases of champagne and whiskies and barrels of rye and Scotch.

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HAIR PULLING AFFAIR TOLD BY MOLL LAWYER

Philip C. Pollock Testifies Women Rivals for Merchant's Affection Fought in Garden.

Philip C Pollock, executor of the will of the late Fred Moll, wholesale and retail liquor dealer, took the stand yesterday in Circuit Judge Pearcy's court in opposition to the claim of Mrs. May Hickey, 58 years old, for one-half of the $160,000 estate of Moll. The woman claims she was Moll's common-law wife for a period of 30 years up to the time of his death two years ago.

According to Pollock, who was Moll's financial and legal adviser, the claimant was not the wife of Moll. He said he never heard Moll say she was his wife, and that in transfers of various pieces of realty in recent years he signed the deeds as "single and unmarried."

"Hair-Pulling Affair."

The witness told of an alleged "hair-pulling affair" between the petitioner and another woman who were rivals for the affection of the late liquor merchant. Pollock said that Moll told him about the altercation and referred to Mrs. Hickey as "Skinny" and the other woman as "Specs." The affair was said by the witness to have taken place in a garden at Twenty-eighth and Olive streets and eventually ended in police court.

Pollock declared that he knew Moll since 1880 and Mrs. Hickey for about 20 years, and at no time did he hear anyone claim that she was Moll's wife during the lifetime of Moll. Moll was supposed to have been a widower, his wife dying in 1892, it was stated.

Deputy Testifies.

Oscar Mohrstadt, chief Deputy Sheriff at the Municipal Courts, testified that he knew Moll and Mrs. Hickey for many years and never heard her called anything but Mrs. Hickey. She was the divorced wife of George Hickey, having divorced him in 1894, the evidence showed. According to Louis Idler, whose wife was a niece of Moll, he had known Moll for 30 years and never heard him call the claimant by any endearing term.

George J. Lehman, a public accountant, who married a daughter of Adolph E. Moll, nephew of Fred Moll, testified that he visited the latter several times at his country home in St. Clair, Mo., and at no time did Moll speak of the claimant as his wife, but referred to her as "Hickey" and Mrs. Hickey. On one of these visits, the witness said, he found Moll ill. The latter complained, according to the witness, that "Hickey" had just returned to St. Louis "to get back to her poker games" and did not leave anything in the house for him to eat. Lehman further said that when he went to the plaintiff's home to notify her of Moll's death she responded as Mrs. Hickey. She declared she would not attend the funeral, the witness said.

Left $5000 to Claimant.

It is alleged by the petitioner that she went under the name of her former husband because Moll requested her to do, fearing to let Pollock know about his marriage to her. She contends that Moll was dominated over by Pollock. She has shown by evidence of a number of witnesses that Moll spoke of her as his wife and treated her as such.

In his will Moll bequeathed $5000 to the claimant, referring to her as May Hickey; $2000 to her daughter, Bessie Hickey, and put the remainder of her estate in trust. He provided that one-half of income was to be paid to his grandson, Fred Moll, 8 years old, and the other half to Pollock's son, Sigfried. Last June a jury in the Circuit Court, in a suit filed in behalf of the grandson by his mother, Mrs. Maud Harden, set aside the will, and decided that the child was entitled to the whole estate. The will case is now pending on appeal in the Supreme Court. The boy is a son of a deceased son of Fred Moll.

FORD EMPLOYE INVESTMENT CERTIFICATES PAY 14 PCT.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 20.—A distribution of $2,000,000 to 36,000 employes was announced by the Ford Motor Co. here when it was stated that Ford investment certificates—available only to employes—would pay 14 per cent interest for the year 1924.

Fighting in Russia Denied.

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BERLIN, Dec. 20.—Dispatches from Bucharest reporting fighting between pro and anti-Trotzky factions of the Soviet supporters are being fabricated by anti-Soviet propagandists. The most reliable information here is that the anti-Trotzky campaign within the Soviets has not developed into civil war. At present it is a political rather than a military opposition.

FIRST AID TO CROSS-WORDERS

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The latest equipment for club and observation railroad coaches includes copies of Webster's Dictionary and volumes in which 100,000 synonyms and antonyms are compiled.

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DEAL TO ACQUIRE 6140 ACRES FOR STATE PARK IS HELD UP

By Radio from Station WOS to Station KSD.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 20. — Closing of the deal by the State to acquire a 6140 acre tract in Reynolds County for a State park is being held up by legal notice from Harry Walmsley of Kansas City that he would file an injunction suit to prevent further expenditures from the State park fund. Former State Senator Carter M. Buford of Ellington, engineered the sale of the tract to the State and the purchase has been approved by Gov. Hyde and Attorney General Barrett, but the deeds have not been filed or warrants issued because of pending litigation.

The price of the land, Buford said, would be $19,640. All but 160 acres is at the rate of $3 an acre and one 160-acre tract is offered for $1700.

Among property owners in the group and their holdings included in the tract are Senator Buford, 1000 acres; his brother, J. H. Buford, 640 acres; Crittenden Trent, 160, price $1700; Thomas Chilton, 200; Laclede Land and Improvement Co., owned by Chicago interests, 2500 acres; Missouri Lumber and Mining Co., 1240 acres.

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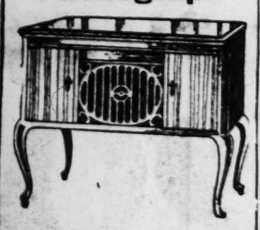

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MUSSOLINI CALLS CHAMBER TO MEET ON ELECTION LAW

Unexpectedly Announces Parliament, Instead of Adjourning, Will Reopen Jan. 3 in Extra Session.

MOVE DISARMS THE OPPOSITION

Chamber to Consider Return to Old Electoral System—Premier May Stand With Moderates.

By BEATRICE BASKERVILLE, Rome Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and New York World.

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ROME, Dec. 20.—Premier Mussolini made an unexpected announcement to the Italian Chamber of Deputies as it was about to adjourn, which upset the calculations of his own party, and moved Boletti, who has steadily criticised the Government during the past session, to rise and express his approval and pleasure.

Mussolini announced that the Italian Parliament, instead of adjourning until March, will reopen on Jan. 3 in an extraordinary session to consider an election reform bill and then holding of general elections.

This move disarms the criticism of Liberals and the opposition within the Italian Parliament, and gives those who have boycotted the Parliament during the past six months a chance to prove their assertion that they and not Mussolini's deputies have the confidence of the country.

The election law which will be considered immediately after the new year will be the second one under Mussolini's administration. The present law returned an enormous number of young men and was denounced by the anti-Mussolini leaders as a scheme for riveting Fascistic control on Italy.

Although Mussolini has not yet revealed what form the new election bill will take, the lobby gossip in Parliament is that he will return to the system of single-member constituencies, similar to the British parliamentary system.

Coming at the end of the parliamentary session in which the non-Fascist supporters of Mussolini have begun to declare he must stem the violence of of his Fascist followers, this move indicates Mussolini has decided he must take his stand with the moderates of Italy unless he is prepared to forfeit the support of the most solid elements of his own party as well as his non-Fascist support.

SPECIAL STAMP ISSUE

Commemorative Postage on Landing of Norwegians to Be Sold.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—A commemorative issue of postage stamps in connection with the centennial celebration in 1925 of the landing of the first Norwegian immigrants in this country is contemplated by the Postoffice Department.

A number of organizations of Americans of Norwegian descent have asked Postmaster-General New to issue the special stamps to commemorate the voyage of the sloop Restoration, which sailed from Norway, July 4, 1825, touched at Madeira, and landed her 52 immigrants at New York, Oct. 9, 1825. A picture of the Restoration probably will adorn the new stamps.

TEAPOT DOME PLEA HEARD

Court Indicates Continuance, if Granted, Will Be Brief.

By the Associated Press.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Dec. 20.—Judge T. Blake Kennedy, in Federal Court here, today took under advisement the petition of the Government for a continuance of the date of the trial of its suit for annulment of the Mammoth Oil Co.'s lease on the Teapot Dome naval oil reserve.

The case is set for hearing Jan. 6. Judge Kennedy indicated that his decision would be announced within a few days, probably immediately after Christmas. A continuance, if granted, he said, would be brief.

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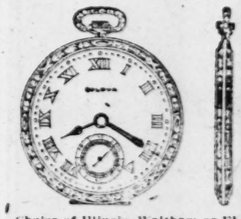

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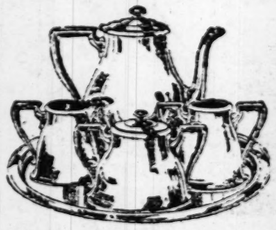

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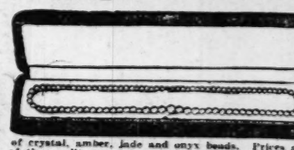

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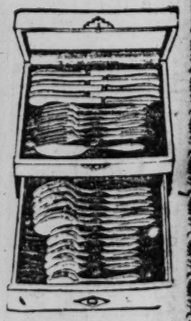

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Underwood to Press Fight.

Senator Underwood did not attend the meeting of the Senate today, owing to the fact that he is suffering from a cold, but his friends said he had not given up the fight, and would renew his efforts after the Christmas holidays.

The falling away of administration leaders and a large group of Southern Senators brought about a very bad situation for the Underwood bill. It is estimated that more than half of the members from the South are opposed to it.

Senator Norris continued his bombardment today and was joined by Senator Shipstead (Farmer-Labor), Minnesota, who charged that J. P. Morgan & Co. was behind the General Electric Co., which would likely get Muscle Shoals if the Underwood bill passed.

Assails "Power Trust."

Shipstead said the power developed at Muscle Shoals should be controlled by the Government, and not be turned over to the "power trust." He reviewed the experience of the Navy Department with the oil lands, and referred to the Teapot Dome and other oil scandals.

"The oil fields of the Navy finally landed in the hands of private corporations," Shipstead said. "Some one has said that campaign contributions had something to do with it. In view of the charge that has been made, I want to call your attention to the fact that the General Electric Co., would be the lessee of the Muscle Shoals property, in all likelihood."

"I call your attention to the fact that upon the board of directors of the General Electric Co. there are several officers of J. P. Morgan & Co.," Shipstead added.

"There are Dwight Morrow and Mr. Stettinius, members of the firm of Morgan & Co. On that board of directors is also George F. Baker Jr. of the First National Bank of New York, closely affiliated with the Morgan group.

$26,000 to G. O. P. Fund.

"On page 183 of the Roosevelt edition of 'Moody's Masters of Capital,' we find that the largest stockholders in the First National Bank of New York, outside of George F. Baker and son, are the members of the Morgan banking house, or the firm of Morgan & Co. George F. Baker Jr., as I say is also a member of the board of directors of the General Electric Co.

"We found that during the last campaign considerable money was contributed to the Republican campaign fund by members of the board of directors of the General Electric Co.

"E. W. Rice Jr., chairman of the board of directors of the General Electric Co., contributed $3000; J. R. Lovejoy, vice president and director, $1000; George F. Baker Jr., $5000; C. A. Coffin, director, $5000; D. W. Morrow, $5000; A. W. Burchard, $5000; Seward Prosser, $1000; B. E. Sunny, $1000; a total of $26,000.

"Then we have S. Z. Mitchell, a director of the Alabama Power Co. and the Electric Bond and Share Co., $5000; Charles Hayden, director of the Utah Securities Corporation, $10,000, and Harrison Williams, director of the American Gas and Electric Co., controlled by the Electric Bond and Share Co., $3000."

Shipstead declared:

"In view of these things, it seems to me the friends of the President who are supporting this measure are placing the President in a rather embarrassing situation, and I thought it my duty to call their attention to this fact. We are told that President Harding's friends placed him in a very embarrassing position, and I am sure the friends of President Coolidge do not desire to put him in the same position."

After talking with the President today, Gov. Pinchot of Pennsylvania dictated a statement in which he said:

"I talked with the President about the importance of the giant power plan which we are working out in Pennsylvania and its connection with Muscle Shoals. The Muscle Shoals power is the key to the industrial development of the whole tidewater south from Charleston, clear around to New Orleans.

"The essential thing in that connection is that whatever disposition is made of pending legislation, the possibilities of geographically wide, instead of geographically restricted, use of Muscle Shoals power should be assured.

"My own belief is that no disposition should be made of Muscle Shoals until we know exactly what we want to accomplish. Let us dispose of it then so as to get precisely what we want."

Weeks Favors Golden Gate Bridge.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20.—Secretary of War Weeks, in a telegram received today, approved, with conditions, a plan to bridge the Golden Gate, the entrance to San Francisco harbor. It is estimated the project will cost $21,000,000.

HAWES URGES STUDY OF TRANSPORTATION

Auto and Waterway Growth Present Problem for Rail Lines, He Says.

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Figures revealing the enormous potentialities of highway and waterways transportation were given by Representative Harry B. Hawes (Dem.) of St. Louis in a brief history of railroads which appeared in today's issue of the Congressional Record.

Hawes is a member of the House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee, to which all proposed railroad legislation is submitted.

Speaking of highway transportation, which has been of special interest to him since he fathered the Missouri good roads program, Hawes said, "Within the last few years a new agency of transportation has entered into the consideration of thoughtful men, an agency that bids fair later to have a distinct bearing on the future of the American railway.

"We now have a national and state investment in public highways of $5,000,000,000 and this year Congress has appropriated $80,000,000 which must be matched by the states, making a total new investment of $160,000,000 in the next two years, establishing a policy which will probably be continued.

Motor Car Competition Felt.

"Already the competition of the motor car has been felt in the interurban and in railroad lines of a short-haul character. The motor bus has already resulted at least in a few abandonments of electric line transportation near my own city. Through Illinois and Missouri there are motor coaches extending out into long lines of profitable freight and passenger business. That is a coming problem.

"The motor problem is a study in itself. According to the joint agricultural inquiry committee of the Sixty-seventh Congress, the registrations of motor vehicles in the nation in 1912 were 501,000, of which 14,000 were trucks. Ten years later the registrations were 10,300,000 motor vehicles, of which 1,390,000 were trucks, and today there are 15,500,000 registrations, of which 1,831,000 are trucks. With an annual investment in automobiles of $7,546,000,000, every truck, in its relation to every mile of paved road, becomes a potential factor in the transportation problem, a factor in the future of the American railroad."

Hawes stated that the transportation problem should not be studied piecemeal, but as a whole, because the connection between water, rail and highway is daily forming closer contact, and soon we may have the addition of practical air transportation.

Regarding the sums spent on waterway transportation, Hawes said:

"From 1824 to 1923 the United States spent a total of $1,150,000,000 on waterways, harbors, rivers, canals, boats and river service. From 1913 to 1921 the Government spent $400,000,000 of this sum. There are 6014 miles of navigable waterways and rivers receiving Government appropriations. Of the total amount spent on waterways, harbors and canals, about $400,000 has been spent to date by the Government on rivers only.

Exclusive of Shipping Board.

"This does not take into consideration the Shipping Board and its war emergency expenditures of $21,500,000. This refers only to canals, waterways, rivers and river service, which are distinctly competitive subjects in the discussion of the railroad problem.

"There is a bill now before Congress to appropriate, for a six-year program, $53,000,000. When these expenditures for inland waterways are added to the expenditures by the Government and states for highways, the public competitive investment becomes enormous."

Hawes made no recommendations in his outline, as he said he merely wished to show how complex the transportation problem was and how much study was needed for proper legislation.

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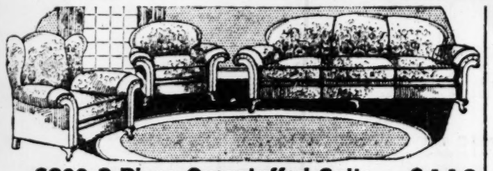

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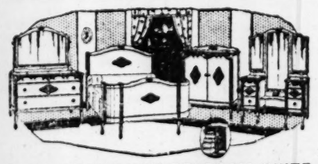

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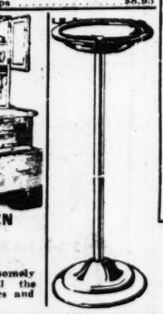

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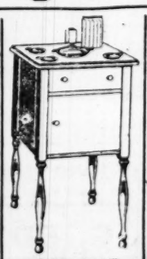

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Markets Continue Advance —Question of Industry Gaining Too Fast Discussed — French Exchange Movement.

STOCK MARKET AVERAGES

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Following are the Associated Press stock averages.

	20 Industrials.	20 Rails.
Saturday	115.33	102.33
Friday	115.12	102.42
Week ago	112.16	100.20
High, 1924	115.33	102.90
Low, 1924	90.27	81.00

By Leased Wire from the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—The New York Evening Post, in its weekly copyrighted financial review, says:

"With available indices pointing to a continuation of the recovery in industry and with the money market contributing no striking developments, interest has centered in the many evidences of a board and growing speculation. Increasing optimism or enthusiasm has been reflected in such things as another sharp advance in wheat that carried the May future to a new high above $1.76 and in a multitude of remarkable gains on the Stock Exchange. A noteworthy change has come over the character of trading. Unfounded and ridiculous rumors have become more frequent while the advance has lost some of the orderliness that was one of its chief characteristics. Stocks that formerly moved a point or so at a time have jumped about 5 or 10 points. Pool operations obviously have been more daring. To say that brokers' loans are expanding and that part of the public conservatism has been shaken off is to be well within the truth. On the other hand, brokers' tips have been working out and nothing has happened as yet to interfere with accumulation of profits.

Market Position Changed.

"Obviously the market position is not so strong as it was last summer when lower prices prevailed. The question is how strong is it now. Two points of view are prevalent. According to one the danger signals are appearing. Current speculative enthusiasm is but one of these. According to the other point of view, a great speculative movement is just starting. The optimists believe that the course of business during 1925 will be steadily upward. In addition they believe that the speculative public has taken the bit in its teeth and has just started to run. They hold that the caution of the last few years which was bred of the deflation of 1920 at last is being shaken off. The issue seems to rest, what will the public do in the speculative scene. The banks and corporations may be counted out of the things. They bought heavily of securities during the summer and early fall when money rates were lowest and industry quiet. Now with production expanding the business enterprises already have converted a good part of their holdings into working capital. With the demands for credit arising there are signs that part of the bank investments are beginning to be liquidated. Thus, although the loans on stock and corporation bonds of reporting member banks in the leading cities have increased pretty constantly since the election and on Dec. 10 stood $3,250,000,000 above the level of Oct. 29, the investments of these banks in bonds, stocks and securities, other than those of the United States Government, terminated a consistent rise with the week ended Nov. 19. Since that time they have fallen moderately. Meanwhile the Federal Reserve Bank statements indicate aside from the usual changes associated with a tax date that the policy of increasing open market purchases has come to an end and that further advances of credit will be made through the rediscounting function.

Industrial Expansion.

"Consistent with this development the open market rate on banks' acceptances has firmed up to the 1 per cent level. Federal Reserve credit, in other words, no longer will be available at less than 3½ per cent. A further expansion in industry or speculation will have to be based on rediscounts at the reserve banks. As a result one would expect a more sensitive money market and a closer official scrutiny of the purposes for which the credit will be used. There is one other possibility that bears careful watching in its relation to the market and the general situation, that is the course of industrial prices and production. In four months of expanding orders, steel production has increased from less than 50 to more than 80 per cent of capacity. Last year about two months of production at somewhat better than 90 per cent of capacity produced a distinct wave of overproduction. Since then fundamental conditions have improved. It is quite possible, however, that if the country's industrial plant is speeded up too fast another minor reaction in business may be produced. Such a reaction would, of course, have a distinct effect on the course of the markets.

Flood of Buying Orders.

"A flood of buying orders having come into the stock market overnight, many of them orders which were held up yesterday owing to wire trouble in the West, stocks started off with a rush, demonstrating strength in the high-priced industrial shares, a large number of which are being actively worked into new high ground continued and gains of 1 to 3 points were recorded in the first hour. The cheaper issues and the railroad group meanwhile were neglected and as has been the case for several days, the market looked stronger than it really was. In the last hour-profit-taking became more general and even the early gainers failed to maintain their best prices. However, despite the fact that some reaction is inevitable after such sharp advances and the further fact that buying now appears to be almost entirely in the hope of quick and big profits making for an unruly market, the upward movement still seems to have considerable momentum. At the close net gains on the day predominated. Bonds were moderately active and steady.

"A new high record for the year was shown by the weekly clearings of the New York banks, the total reaching $8,232,000,000. Loans and discounts increased $48,000,000 and demand deposits also rose $35,990,000.

Exchange Is Quieter.

"Foreign exchanges were quieter and movements were more irregular as the week closed. Sterling was steady and ¼ of a cent higher at $4.70¾, but French francs receded 1 point to $5.18¾. The action of francs suggests a natural trend toward somewhat lower levels but support appears after any drop of consequence with its avowed intention of supporting the rate the Government is not, of course, likely to permit a sharp break and this acts as a restraining influence on bear operators. Danish crowns broke 2 points, the reaction apparently being due to speculative selling following the recent advance in anticipation of the renewal of credits here and at London. Argentine pesos continued their climb, reaching a new high level at 42.10 cents, a gain of 10 points.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Total sales for the week on the New York Stock Exchange were 10,733,600 shares, compared with 9,887,400 last week, 5,620,500 same week a year ago and 4,807,400 two years ago.

Following is a list of individual sales for the week in 100-share lots on the Stock Exchange, with the high, low and closing prices and the net change for the week. Symbols—*Partly stock. **Payable in preferred stock. †Increase for week. —Decrease for week. ....Unchanged for week. ††Partly extra.

Stocks and Ann. Div. Rates in $	Sales for Wk.	High for Wk.	Low. for Wk.	Close. for Wk.	Net Ch'ge for Wk.
A I P & P 4	4	61¼	61¼	61¼	....*
Ad Exp 6	16	93½	92	92	—1
Adv Rum	25	16⅛	14½	15¾	—¼
do pid 3	10	51¼	51	51¼	....*
Air R 5†	50	90½	89	89	—1
Ajax Rub	238	14⅜	13⅝	13⅝	—¼
Alas G M	30	13	12	12	—¼
Alas Jaine	16	43¼	42	42	—1
A-Am C 6	2	122½	120	122½	+2½
Al Chem 4	298	88½	87	87½	—1
do pfd 7	2	116	116	116	—1
Al Chal 4	467	72½	67½	71	+3½
do pf	9	104	103¾	104	....*
A Ag Ch	3	49¾	48¾	48¾	—¾
do pfd	26	41¾	38¾	39¾	—2
A B N pf 5	7	53¾	53¾	53¾	—¼
A B & A 4	56	43¾	42¾	43¼	....*
A B Mag	212	34¾	32½	33	—1¾
Am Br S 4	15	90½	90	90½	+½
do pfd 7	2	107	107	107	+2
Am Can 6†	1906	163¾	148	158	—10
do pf	15	117½	116	116½	—1
ACF I 12	60	184	171½	177	—7
do pf 7	2	121	121	121	....*
A Ch A 13	13	74¾	68¾	68¾	—6
A Chicle	60	49¾	48¾	48¾	—1
do pf	10	38	38	38	—1
A Dyes 8	1	137	137	137	....*
Am Exp 6	58	151¾	148	149	—2
A&F† 25					
do 1st pf 7	25	137	131½	132	—4½
do 2d pf 7	25	132½	119½	132	+12½
A H & L	4	21	20½	20½	—½
do pf	1	43	43	43	....*
Am Ice	7	88	87	88	+1
do pfd 6	1	97	97	97	....*
Am Int Cp	2	58¾	58¾	58¾	—¼
Ala F 6	32	113	111	111	—2
do pfd	1	98	98	98	....*
Am Linseed	44	46¾	45	46¾	+1¾
do pfd	18	46½	43½	46½	+3½
Am Loco 8	388	99½	98	98½	—1
Am Mach 7	82	50½	49¾	50	....*
Am Rad 4	10	136	130½	135½	—½
A By Ex 4	1	50	50	50	....*
A Smelt 4	40	46¾	45	45¾	—¾
ARM pfd 7	5	108¾	108¾	108¾	—1¼
ASR 50	19	36½	35¾	36¼	+¾
Am Steel F	10	36½	35½	35½	—1
Am Sug 10	467	91¾	90	90¾	—¾
do pfd 7	13	106	105½	105½	—½
A Sugar 7	140	94¾	94	94¾	—¼
Am Sm & R	307	44¾	42¾	43¾	—¾
A S Exp 3	307	44¾	42¾	43¾	—¾
do pf	2	97½	97½	97½	....*
A W P pfd	4	114	114	114	....*
do 1st pfd	1	91	91	91	....*
Am Tob 8	658	144¾	139	139	—5
do pfd 7	32	93	91½	92	—1
Am Type 6	2	98	98	98	....*
Am Woolen	1111	69½	61¾	62¾	—6¾
do pfd 7	1	96	96	96	—1
Am Wool pf	1	96	96	96	....*
A W P pfd	4	114	114	114	....*
do 1st pfd	1	91	91	91	....*
Am Zinc 2	30	13¾	13¾	13¾	—¼
do pfd	30	35¾	35¾	35¾	—1¼
Anaconda	457	43	41½	42½	—¾
Ann Ar pfd	1	43	43	43	....*
Archer D 4	2	94	94	94	....*
Arnold C	2	93¾	89¾	89¾	—3
As Real	8	85	85	85	....*
As Oil & G 5	39	140	136	138	—1
do 1st pf	1	94	94	94	....*
do 2d pf	1	102	102	102	....*
AT & SF 6	674	120¾	118	118¾	—1
do pf	23	95	94¾	95	....*
Atl B&At	2	151	151	151	....*
AG Chem	85	153	143½	150½	—2½
AG & WISS	83	22¾	20¾	20¾	—1¾
do pfd	72	38¾	36¾	37¾	—1
Atl Refin	2	97	97	97	—1
do pfd 7	1	114	114	114	....*
Atlas P 4	1	31	31	31	....*
do pfd 6	1	91	91	91	....*
Atlas Tack	100	34¾	33¾	33¾	—1
Austin N	87	33	30¾	30¾	—2¼
Auto K B	4	25	25	25	....*
Auto S	5	16	15	16	+1
do pfd	5	16	15	16	+1
Baldw L 7	1282	132¾	123¾	130½	+6¾
do pfd 7	3	116	114½	116	—½
B & A 5	1417	96	93¾	94¾	—1¼
do pfd 7	7	66¾	64¾	66¾	—1
B&A pfd 7	1	92¼	92¼	92¼	....*
do com	137	49¾	47¾	49¾	+1¾
Barnsdall A	128	20¾	19¾	20¾	+¾
do B	100	15¾	14¾	15	....*
Baysik Bros	8	38	38	38	—1
do pfd	1	98	98	98	....*
BN Pk 3†	76	58¾	56¾	57¾	—¾
Beth Steel	264	49½	48½	48¾	—¾
do pfd 8	9	90	90	90	....*
8 pct pf	1	110	110	110	—1
Booth F	17	30¾	30	30	....*
do pfd	1	93	93	93	....*
Brit Em 5†	1	25¾	25¾	25¾	—¾
Bkn Ed 8	18	123	120	120	—3
Bkn M 7	236	40¾	37¾	37¾	—1¾
do pfd 7	1	94	94	94	....*
Bkn U G 4	247	83¾	79¾	80	—1
Brown S 4	43	74¾	70	73	....*
Brunswick	1	25	25	25	....*
BR&P 4	5	65¾	63	65½	+1
do pfd 6	1	91	91	91	....*
odd lot	1	91	91	91	....*
B&S 9¾†	9	90	85	87	....*
Burns					
do pfd 7	2	118	118	118	—1
Bur Pf 7	21	99	99	99¾	—¼
do A 10	47	103	97	99	—3
Bur AM 3	13	65¾	63	65	....*
BurTB pf 7	1	93	93	93	....*
Butte Cop	240	21¾	20¾	21¾	+¾
Butte & SC	191	21¾	20¾	21¾	+¾
Butterick	14	23	23	23	....*
Caddo Oil	9	14½	14	14½	....*
Calif Pkg 6	23	101¾	101¾	101¾	....*
Calif P 5	239	233½	229½	232½	—1½
do pfd 7	7	88¾	87	88¾	+1¾
Calln Z&L	81	44¾	43¾	44¾	....*
C & A 5	1	54	54	54	....*
C & H 50†	10	17	16½	16½	—¾
Can P 10	74	131½	130	131	—½
Cane Three	1	70	70	70	—4
Cannon	3	69	65	66	—4
Cent Leath	110	21¾	19¾	20¾	—¾
do pfd	140	58¾	55	55½	—1¾
Cent Of N J					
12††	96	204	204	204½	+20½
Cent Rib 2	3	32	31	31¾	—¼
Cer de P 4	203	53	50¼	51¾	—1¼

MARKETS AT A GLANCE.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Markets at a glance follow:

STOCKS: Firm; rails and equipment lead advance.

BONDS: Irregular price, change narrow.

FOREIGN EXCHANGES: Steady; trading dull.

COTTON: Steady; firm spot markets.

SUGAR: Higher; Cuban support.

COFFEE: Irregular.

Stocks and Ann. Div. Rates in $	Sales for Wk.	High for Wk.	Low. for Wk.	Close. for Wk.	Net Ch'ge for Wk.
Certain-teed	175	44¾	41¾	42	—1¾
Chand M 6	17	37¾	37	37¾	....*
C & O 4	502	97¾	94	95¾	—1¾
do pf 6%	5	107	107	107	....*
Chic G W	1	8¾	8¾	8¾	—¼
C G W pf	23	36¾	35	35¾	—1¼
do pfd	116	18¾	17¾	18	—¼
C & E I	41	67¾	63¾	64¼	—3¼
do pfd	2	92	90	90	—2
C & N W	175	74¾	71¾	72¾	—1¾
C M & St P	1	28¾	28¾	28¾	—¼
do pfd	1	42¾	39¾	42¾	+2¾
C & N W 4	175	114¾	114	114¾	—¼
Chi Pn T 4	31	83¾	81	83¾	+2¾
C R I & P	916	28¾	25¾	25¾	—2¾
CRI-P pref	2	44	44	44	....*
do pfd	9	94½	94	94	....*
C St P M & O	2	56	56	56	....*
do pfd	1	94	94	94	....*
Chile Cop 12	1	49¾	49¾	49¾	....*
Chile Exp 4	31	30½	30½	30½	—¼
Chino Cop 4	2	64¾	64¾	64¾	—¼
Chrysler	1	24¾	24¾	24¾	—1
Cin Leaf-Pe 9	1	58¾	60	60	....*
do pfd 7	2	103½	103½	103½	—¼
Cin Mot 2	3	33	32	32	—1
Cin Union 2	640	39	36½	36½	—2½
do pfd	1	96	96	96	....*
Int Har 3	155	109½	106¾	108	—1¾
do pfd 7	3	115¾	115	115¾	—¾
Int Mer M	40	14¾	13¾	13¾	—¾
do pfd	26	48¾	43¾	45	—3
Int Nick	320	34	32½	33½	—¾
do pfd 6	1	93¾	93¾	93¾	—¼
Int Paper	219	53¾	51¾	52¾	—¾
do pfd	6	97	97	97	—1
I R C Am	10	17	16¾	17	....*
do pfd	2	61	61	61	....*
Int Cp pf 7	20	97	97	97	....*
In Shoe 5	5	114¾	114	114	....*
do pfd 7	1	119¾	119¾	119¾	—¼
Intertype C	1	24¾	23¾	24½	—½
Invin Oil	200	13¾	13¾	13¾	—¼
Island Oil	71	100½	83	85½	—14½
Jewel Tea	88	22¾	20¾	22½	+1¾
Jew T pfd	7	108	102¾	105	+3¼
Jones T 2	50	31¾	30¾	31¾	+¾
J&L pfd 7	2	111¾	111¾	111¾	—¼
Jordan M 3	147	52¾	48¾	48¾	—3¾
K C P & L					
pfd 7	2	98	97	98	—1
Kan Sou	209	37¾	35½	36	—1¾
KCS pfd 4	6	38	37¾	38	....*
K & Gulf	38	28¾			
Kayser I	2	83	83	83	....*
Kelly-Sp	243	18¾	17	17½	—¾
do pfd	3	52	52	52	....*
Kelsey Hay	23	103	99	99	—4
Ken Cop 3	800	54¾	53¾	53¾	—¾
Keystone T	2	63	63	63	—1
Kinney R	1	83	83	83	....*
Kresge D 8	87	47¾	45	45	—1
KDS pfd 8		90	90	90	—1
Kroger G 8	434	77¾	73¾	74¾	—2¾
Kuppen 2	3	29	28	28	—1
Lac Gas 8	5	110	110	110	
Lee R & T	58	13¾	13	13¾	....*
Lee Rub 3	1	43¾	43¾	43¾	—¾
Lig & My 3	91	65¾	63¾	65¾	+1¾
L&M pfd 7	1	118	118	118	....*
L & M B 3	145	68¾	63¾	64¾	—3¾
Liquid Cm 4	290	70¾	68¾	69¾	—¾
Loft Cand	137	23	23	23¼	....*
Loew In 2	790	23	23	23¼	....*
Lone Star	2	28	28	28	—1
Lorll P 3	204	36¾	34	34	—1¾
do pfd 7	5	112¾	112½	112¾	....*
L & N 4	45	112½	110¾	112½	+1¾
Mack Tr 8	30	31¾	31¾	31¾	—¼
Mc SB 1.60	150	98¾	92	96½	—2¾
do pfd 7	1	104	104	104	—¾
Mad Sq 7.50	11	94	94	94	—1
Mack 4	1	68¾	68¾	68¾	—¾
Mack T 6	468	117½	112½	116	—3¾
do 1st pf	7	114¾	110¾	114½	—¾
do 2d pf	1	99	99	99	—1
Mag Pet 1st	54	45	44¾	45	—¾
do 2d pf	84	43¾	42¾	42¾	—1¾
Magma Cop	44	38¾	32¾	34	—4¾
Mal & Co	371	36¾	32¾	34	—1¾
do pfd	1	92¾	92¾	92¾	—¼
Manati Sug	1	9¾	9¾	9¾	....*
Man Nov 3.5	34	34¾	33¾	34¾	—¾
Manh S 3	168	32¾	30¾	30¾	—2¾
Manila E S	11	30½	29½	30	—¾
Manie Jo	1	44¾	44¾	44¾	—¾
Maracaibo	136	29	28	28	—¾
Mark St R	10	9	8	9	....*
Marl Cem	1	44½	44½	44½	—¾
Marl Oil	1114	38¾	36¾	37¾	—¾
Marl Rock	51	14	11¾	11¾	—1¾
Marm Mot	1	11¾	11¾	11¾	—¼
Math A W	54	62½	60	60½	—2¼
Max Mot A	591	84¾	80	80¾	—3¾
Max Mot B	854	89¾	85¾	86¾	—3¾
M D pf 8	1	100	100	100	—2
MDS pfd 7		112½	102	122	....*
M E pfd 7	4	100	99½	99½	—¾
M p pf 7	50	19	17¾	17¾	—1¾
Mex S Oil 2	327	22¾	20	21¾	—¾
Miami Cop	36	23¾	23¾	23¾	—¾
Mid Cont P	188	31¾	30¾	31¾	—¾
M S pr pfd	2	97	96¾	96¾	—¾
Midvale Sti	5	28¾	28¾	28¾	—¾
M & St L	21	2¾	2¾	2¾	....*
M St P & S					
M St P pf 8	1	69	69	69	—1
M K & T	650	31½	29	29¾	—1¾
do pfd 5	118	73¾	72¾	72¾	—2
Mo Kan & T	1	19¾	19¾	19¾	....*
Mo Pac pfd	472	70¾	65¾	67¾	—2¾
Mon Pow 4	378	74¾	68¾	70¾	—3¾
Mon Ward	404	47¾	46	46¾	—¾
Moon Mot	63	4¾	4¾	4¾	....*
Moth M 4	88	85¾	83¾	83¾	—1¾
Mullins Bo	23	18¾	16	17¾	—¾
Munsing 3	1	34¾	34¾	34¾	....*
N M 10††	18	198	188	195	—5
N M pfd 7	4	104½	104½	104½	—¾
Nat Acme	16	19¾	19¾	19¾	....*
Nat Aniline	1	43	43	43	—1
N B pfd 7	2	124¾	124¾	124¾	—¼
Nat C & S	54	70¾	66¾	69¾	—¾
Nat Cloak	125	99¾	95¾	96¾	—3¾
Nat Dist	33	38¾	37¾	38	—¾
Nat Enam	1	118	118	118	....*
Nat Lead	145	68¾	63¾	64¾	—3¾
Nat Pb pf	44	42¾	41¾	41¾	—¾
Nat Supply	1	80¾	80¾	80¾	—¾
Nev Con	1	19¾	19¾	19¾	....*
New Idea	1	30	30	30	....*
N E Pow	31	33¾	32¾	33¾	—¾
N Y Air B	129	167¾	138	162¼	—4¾
N Y Dock	48	62	57½	59½	—2½
N Y Ship	36	15¾	14¾	15¾	—¾
N O T&M					
23½††	56	114¾	113	114	—¾
N Y A 4	336	54¾	48¾	53¾	+4¾

Wall Street News and Comment

—SPECIAL DAILY—

By a Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—The bull forces continued to hold the upper hand in today's short session on the stock exchange. Prices were bid up all around and many new highs were established. The usual week-end realizing went on, but the tendency was clearly upward. The conspicuous movements were the sharp advance in the railway equipments, the violent upbidding of Philadelphia & Reading Coal and Iron, the heavy buying of the Pan-American B shares, the strength of one or two of the independent steels, numerous spurts to the year's best prices in industrial specialties, and higher prices for a number of the rails.

The large transactions in Philadelphia & Reading Coal and Iron, which rose several points above the previous close, was directly due to a report that the First National Bank had bought B. & O. block of Reading rights to buy Philadelphia & Reading company shares.

President Willard of the Baltimore & Ohio was quoted as denying the rumors that his company has sold its Reading rights. Philadelphia & Reading stock, however, was at its best immediately following his denial.

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The Bond Market.

With the exception of the foreign list, the bond market closed the week with prices firm. There was no animated buying of the high-grade investments such as U. S. Government loans or first mortgage rails, but prices did not yield further. On the week this group has been somewhat heavy and most of the Liberty issues are selling a shade lower than they did last Saturday. As for the high-grade rails, Atchison General 4s sold today at almost the same price as a week ago, while on the week there have been advances in a few cases, one of them being Central of New Jersey 5s which made a new high record.

Among railroad convertible issues three bonds have been prominent, New York Central 6s, Chesapeake & Ohio 5s and Norfolk & Western 6s. All these have kept pace with their respective stocks. Chesapeake & Ohio 5s are down on the week. The more speculative rails show both gains and losses on the week, largely because trading in stocks this week has centered more upon the higher price dividend paying issues, the bonds of which do not react to speculative sentiment.

Among the industrials advances have been more numerous than declines. Copper shares are all higher. International Agricultural 5s jumped 9 points this week. On the other hand, Virginia Carolina chemical 7s lost ground. In general the sugar bonds have been heavy.

Total bond offerings this week were over $123,000,000, marking it as one of the best of the year.

Stocks and Ann. Div. Rates in $	Sales for Wk.	High for Wk.	Low. for Wk.	Close. for Wk.	Net Ch'ge for Wk.
N Y C 4	43	56	54	55¾	+1¾
N Y Cn†	887	119½	117⅝	119	+2¼
N Y&H	29	125½	122	122	—3½
N YC&StL					
6 pfd	21	90½	89⅝	89⅝	— ⅝
N YNH&H	9098	33¾	29¾	31	+1¾
N Y O&W	236	28	24	24¾	—1¾
N Y W str	967	129⅝	120⅛	123⅝	+4⅛
N A 3.40	563	43¾	41⅞	42⅝	— ⅝
N A pf3.	22	47¾	46½	46½	—1
Nor Pac	619	86	79	79	—1¼
Orph C 1½	44	26½	26	26⅝	+⅜
do pfd 8	2	98½	98½	98½	+2
Otis Stl	237	10½	9½	10	
do pfd	19	63¾	59	63¾	+3¾
O Bot M 3	92	43¾	43¾	44¾	+¾
Pac G&E 7	23	104¾	103	103	—1¾
Pac Oil 2	606	53¾	50½	52½	—1¾
P Mo 1.50	219	14¾	14¾	14¾	—¼
P A Pet 4	321	64½	57¾	64	+6¾
do B 4	3133	64¾	56¾	64½	+7¾
Panhandle	4	4	3¾	4	....*
do pfd	2	40¾	40¾	40¾	—¾
Park & Til	106	34¾	32¾	34¾	+1¾
Penn RR 3	363	49¾	48¾	48¾	—¾
Pa S'd S	114	14¾	14	14¾	....*
do pfd	2	116	114½	114½	—1¾
Peoria & E	2	19¾	18¾	18¾	—¾
Phila Co	221	56¾	53¾	53½	—2¾
Phila R C&I	1144	54¾	47¾	48¾	—5¾
Phil Mor	122	16¾	15¾	16	—¾
Phil Pet 2	322	37¾	35	36¾	—¾
Pierce Oil	53	3½	3½	3½	....*
Pierce Pet	219	3¾	3¾	3¾	....*
do pfd	182	26	24¾	26	+2
Pitts C	129	32	28¾	28¾	—3¼
Pitts Coal	4	27	27	27	—1
do pfd	4	82	81½	81½	—1
Prod & Ref	96	29	27	29	+1
do 3½	1	79	79	79	—1
P C N J 5	314	68¾	67¾	68½	....*
Pullman 8	230	148	141¾	146½	—3¼
Punta ASS	180	41¾	38	38	—3¼
P C Pu 1½	517	30	29	30	+1
Radio C A	960	48¾	44¾	46¾	—1¾
Ray C Cop	149	16½	15¾	15¾	—¾
Reading 4	1303	79¾	71¾	76¾	+3¾
do 1st	29	73¾	73¾	73¾	—¾
do 1pf 2	101	40	36¾	38½	+3
do 2 pf 2	245	44¾	36¾	43¾	+6¾
Reming Ty	140	51	48¾	49¾	—¼
do 1 pf 7	3	99	99	99	—1
Replog Stl	622	22¾	21	22½	+1¾
Rep I & St	183	57¾	55	57	+1
do pfd 7	10	94	92	92½	—1
Reyn Sp	146	17¾	16	16¾	—¾
Reyn T Bd	42	77¾	75¾	76½	—¾
do B pf 7	1	119¾	119¾	119¾	—¼
RIM 4.42½	106	49	47¾	48¾	—¼
St Joe Le 2	242	43¾	40	42¾	+2¾
St L&SF	345	63¾	62¾	62¾	— ¾
do 1st pf	5	53¾	53¾	53¾	—2
St L San	166	54¾	51¾	51¾	—2¾
do pfd	3	83	83	83	....*
Savage Arms	226	48¾	45	45¾	—1
S R S8††	586	114¾	107	114	+6¾
Seab A L	233	23¾	22	22¾	—¾
do pfd	23	98	98	98	—1
Sears Ro 6	492	130	130¾	141¾	+8
Sen Copper	42	1¾	1¾	1¾	....*
Sh Cr Oil	390	20¾	20¾	21¾	—¾
do pfd 7	7	93¾	92¾	93¾	—¾
Simmons 2	126	34¾	32¾	33¾	—3
Sim P 50c	202	18	17¾	17¾	—¼
Sin Prod	1	17¾	17¾	17¾	—¼
Skelly Oil	58	23¾	21	21¾	—¾
S S & Ad	94	25¾	23¾	25¾	+2¼
Sou Pac 6	1507	105¾	102½	103¾	—¾
Sou Ry 5	1710	79¾	77¾	78¾	—¾
do pfd	2	115	114	114	—1
Spicer Mfg	288	20	18

SHOE SHARES ON STEADY TO HIGHER BASIS

ST. LOUIS STOCK EXCHANGE, Dec. 20.—Shoe shares were steady to higher on the market today. There was a fair turnover of Wagner Electric common on lower basis.

The board of directors of the West St. Louis Trust Co. have declared an extra $2 per share Christmas dividend. The earnings of the bank this year compare favorably with the earnings of last year, regardless of the low interest rate, it was stated.

In the following table will be found a complete list of sales on the exchange today:

Security.	Sales.	Price.	Net Chge.
Bank of Commerce	10	144½	+ ½
Boyd-Welch Shoe	43	39½	— ½
Brown Shoe pfd	3	99½	
Brownlee P R com	15	68	— ½
International Sh com	30	114	+ ¼
Johansen Bros Sh pfd	20	42	+ ½
Johansen Bros Sh com	10	41½	+ ½
Johansen Bors Sh com	20	42	+ ½
Laclede Steel	2	150	
Nat Candy com	10	99½	+ ½
Nat Candy 5s com	80	99¾	+ ¾
Nat Candy com	10	100	+ ½
Pedico-Weber S com	45	92½	+ ½
St. Louis Union Tr	10	92½	+ ½
Scruggs 1st pfd	3	240	
Securities Inv com	50	88	
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Southwestern B pfd	15	43¾	
United Railway pfd	35	106¾	— ¼
Wagner Elec com	110	3	— ¼
Wagner Elec com	200	5	— ¼
Wagner Elec com	10	28	— ¼
Weber L & Sub 5s	$ 5,000	85½	
Weber L & Sub 5s	6,000	100	
Wells-Dickey Co 6s	6,000	87½	— ½

*Dividend. **Cash sale.

WEEK-END CLOSING QUOTATIONS

SECURITY.	Bid.	Asked.
First National Bank	207	210
National Bank of Commerce	144	146
Best-Clymer		386
Boyd-Welch Shoe com	43	42
Brown Shoe pfd	99½	46
Certain-teed 1st pfd	86	
Certain-teed 2d pfd	73½	
Emerson Electric com		77½
E & W D pfd	22¼	
Fred Medart pfd	103	22½
Fulton Iron Works pfd	100	105
Hydraulic P R pfd	38½	37½
Hydraulic P R com	5½	6
International Shoe com	119½	120
Johnson S Shoe com	106	
Johnson Shoe com	42	
Laclede Steel Co		106
Mo-Ill Stone pfd	102	151
Nat Candy com	99½	158
Nat Candy 5s com	99½	100
Nat Stamping & D G com		225
S W Bell pfd	121¼	44
United Railways pfd	106¼	106½
United Railways com	28	28½
U S Brewing Co pfd		39
Wagner Electric com	2¾	
A G & S L Ts C of D	80	82
E St L & Sub 5s		64
United Rys 4s of 1934	85½	86
United Rys 4s of D	74½	75
Kinloch Long Dist 5s	99½	100½
Laclede Gas Light 5½s	95½	96
†Ex. dividend.		

Chicago Stock Sales

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—Following is a report of today's sales, high, low and closing quotations at the Chicago Stock Exchange:

Sales.	SECURITY.	High.	Low.	Close.
25	Ind P W	68½	68½	68½
100	Commonwlth Ed	135¾	135	135
	Consumers Co	69½	69½	69½
50	Deere & Co pfd	81	81	81
250	Fast Gen	15¾	15¼	15¼
1700	Hupp Motor	17	16½	17
100	Hurley Mach	60	60	60
30	McCord Rad 'A'	39	39	39
20	Mont Ward	46¾	46¾	46¾
425	Nor Am	117¾	116½	117¾
125	North Star Pow	106	104	104
200	Pines Winterfront	67	67	67
1950	Pick & Co	24¾	23¾	24¾
100	Pub-Ann	58¾	58¾	58¾
150	Real Silk	58	58	58
250	Stand Gas pfd	50½	50½	50½
2000	Stewart-Warner	74½	74	74½
1575	Swift & Co	114	114	114
625	Swift Intl	32¾	32	32¾
600	Truffaut-Hart	80¾	80¾	80¾
115	Un L & P B pfd	93	93	93
100	Util B & C	28	28	28
325	Wahl Co	19	19	19
50	Wolf Mfg	7½	7½	7½
410	Worthington	44¾	44¼	44¾
250	Yellow Cab	50¼	50¼	50¼
50	Yellow Mfg B	39¾	39¾	39¾

Total sales, 17,000 shares.

Clearings, Money, Silver

The St. Louis Clearing House Association reported clearings for Dec. 20, 1924, $18,200,000, corresponding day last year $21,200,000; this year to date $6,957,500,000, corresponding period last year $7,005,054,470; report of debits for Dec. 19, 1924, were: debits to individual accounts $22,000,000; total to date $7,801,700,000; debits to bank and bankers' accounts $12,600,000; total to date $5,083,200,000; total debits for 1924 $35,500,000; total to date for individual and bank and bankers' accounts $12,945,400,000.

We offer and recommend

Chas. T. Abeles and Company

7% Closed First Mtge. Real Estate Bonds Due Dec. 1, 1926-39

Loan totals only 36% of appraised property values, in addition to being the direct obligation of an old successful business.

Company, located in Little Rock, Ark., is one of the largest manufacturers of sash, doors and millwork in the Southwest and business has shown a profit in 42 of the last 44 years.

Mortgaged property appraised at $629,959 against this issue of $225,000.

To Yield up to 7.00%

Circulars describing the above and over 50 other corporation, municipal and government bonds, maturing in from 1 to 30 years, to yield up to 7.50% may be had upon request.

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WHEAT AND RYE PRICES UP SHARPLY DURING THE WEEK REACHING NEW HIGH LEVELS

Corn Slightly Weaker but Other Grains Rule Steady—Cash Wheat Rise Greater Than Futures.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Wheat and rye prices made substantial advances during the week, many of the new high levels during the week ended Dec. 20, according to the weekly grain review of the United States Department of Agriculture. The corn ruled slightly weaker during the week, but held firm and above previous grains. The rapid consumption of the world supply of bread grains and the rather unfavorable condition of the winter wheat crop in the southwest and Pacific coast states were the principal strengthening factors in the situation. The total world's crop is now estimated to be 3,600,000,000 bushels less than last year and the smallest crop since 1917. The combined world crop is now estimated to be 4,000

WOOD SAYS REPUTED FORTUNE MADE ON WALL STREET IS MYTH

Philippine Governor's Son Asserts He Never Gained Big Killings Estimated by Friends of Wife.

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PARIS, Dec. 20.—Osborne Wood, son of Gen. Leonard E. Wood, Governor-General of the Philippine Islands, says the fortune he is credited with having gained on Wall street is a myth. He admits he made some winnings by cable transactions, but declares he never made the big killings estimated by friends of his wife's family.

Wood's friends say his wife had the money by which he made several speculative gains, one of which was made recently on a bull market, but that none of these gains approached the sums printed, which Wood's friends declare to be fanciful. They say his last winning pulled him out of difficulties, as a few weeks ago he was less affluent than usual.

When his wife went home a few months ago, it was rumored she would sue for divorce. Wood refused today to talk about the divorce or to say whether he had ever made use of his wife's money.

"I've won some money on stocks," was all he was willing to say.

He is reputed to lose money on other forms of chance as fast as he makes it on Wall street. "Cherokee Joe," the Indian tout here, boasts of taking several hundred thousand francs from Wood at Longchamps race track, but Wood was noncommittal about this.

For the last few months Wood has frequented several so-called clubs, where there is gambling but he keeps to himself what luck he may have had over the green tables. Asked about his speculations, he said: "I may look easy, but I'm not so easy as I look."

Steamship Movements.

Arrived.

New York, Dec. 20, Leviathan, from Southampton.

Queenstown, Dec. 20, Carmania, New York.

FIRE DESTROYS COLBECK'S RESIDENCE, LOSS IS $12,000

The residence of "Dinty" Colbeck, on the St. Charles Rock road, near St. John's Station, was destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon with a loss of $12,000. A yardman turned in the alarm after saving two automobiles in a garage attached to the house.

Colbeck, Democratic ward politician and political leader of the Egan gang, is now serving a 25-year term at Leavenworth Prison, following his conviction with other gangsters of participation in the $54,000 Staunton (Ill.) mail robbery.

Fire, presumably caused by an overheated furnace, destroyed the interior of a four-family flat at 3922-24 Utah place yesterday causing a damage to building and contents estimated at $12,000. Mrs. J. Root, the occupant of one of the upstairs apartments, was unable to leave by the stairways and was taken off the back porch and down a ladder by firemen.

The fire started in the basement of the apartment occupied by Frank Coffman, at 3922, and spread quickly to the adjoining basement and up the stairs of both apartments to the first floor. It was extinguished before reaching the second-floor apartments.

The building is owned by a Mrs. Vellmer and is operated through the agency of the Doerflinger Real Estate Co.

Accused by Former War "Buddy."

By the Associated Press.

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The Store of Gifts for Him

St. Louis' Greatest Store for Men

Women Shoppers

Women shoppers will find it easy to select his gift in the bright, cheery atmosphere of St. Louis' Greatest Store for men. Thousands of attractive gifts are assembled here—all useful—gifts he will appreciate.

Special Silk Neckwear $1

A very unusual line is assembled at this price. Silk and wools, in bias stripes, checks and figures—bold rep college stripes—bias striped moires, neat figured silks and Persian designs. Extra values at one dollar.

Silk Neckwear

One of the greatest collections of fine Neckwear assembled in America is shown at this store. English rep stripes, French moires from Duprey of Lyons, Swiss moires, Mogadores, historical designs and an amazing selection of other Neckwear.

$2.00, $2.50, $3.00 to $6.00

Knitted Neckwear

A great variety including the famous fashion knits—beautiful, durable.

$1.50, $2.00 to $5.00

Imported English Broadcloth Pajamas

$7.50 Values $5

A beautiful broadcloth of rich luster and good wearing quality. Good-looking stripes in all colors.

Special Sale of Lounging Robes

Special Sale of Imported Wool Robes

$30, $35, $40 and $45 Robes now

$26.50

Checks and plain colors—fine importations from Welsh, Margetson & Co., Ltd., London. Fine wool and polo cloths.

Terry Robes

A variety of colors—washable—useful—the all-purpose Robe.

$5.75 to $18.00

Special Lounging Robes

$25.00 Value $18

Silk and fiber mixtures in beautiful colors and patterns—cord trimmed—shawl collars—silk girdles to match—all sizes, including extra large. Handsome gifts for men.

Sweater Vests

Handsome colors, heather mixtures, checks and fancy designs—a very desirable gift.

$4.50 to $12

Blanket Robes

Brilliant colors—rich tones—a warm Robe—unusually good looking.

$12.00 to $18.00

Other Silk Robes, $16.50 to $150

Imported Scotch Wool Mufflers

Beautiful colorings, wonderful stripes, plaids and checked patterns.

$2.50, $3.00, $4.00 to $7.00

Silk Mufflers, Fiber Mufflers, $3.50 to $20. $2.00 to $5.00

English Squares and fine silk Reefers, $3.50 to $7.00

Slippers for Men

If you would like to make his Christmas a genuine surprise with a pair of Boyd Slippers it will interest you to know that we have thousands of size records of shoe customers on file here—his name may be among them—why not come in and see?

$1.75 to $7.50

Several Hundred Hand-Tailored Highland Heather

Overcoats

Reduced!

Formerly $65.00 and $75.00 ..... $48

The Highland Heather cloth is original and exclusive—weatherproof outside—soft, warm, comfort within—long service and exceptional styles—hand tailored—ulster models and single-breasted box-back coats.

$60.00 and $65.00 Hand-Tailored

Tuxedo Suits $50

Finely tailored young men's models of excellent materials.

Men's Gloves

Fabric Gloves.... $1.50 and $2.00

Cape Kid Gloves, $2.00, $2.50, $3.50 to $5.00

Suede Gloves.... $3.00 and $3.50

Genuine Mocha Gloves, $3.50, $4.00, $4.50 to $6.00

Buckskin Gloves, $2.50, $3.00, $4.50 to $6.00

Wool-Lined Gloves, $2.50, $3.00, $3.50 to $4.00

Sheep-Lined Gloves, $4.50 and $5.00

Fur-Lined Gloves, $5.00, $6.00, $7.00 to $8.50

Lined Gauntlet Gloves, $5.00, $6.00 to $14.00

Initialed Handkerchiefs

50c

Box of Six, $3

White and colored initials on very fine cambric.

Initialed Handkerchiefs

25c

Box of Six, $1.50

White and colored initials in plain cambrics and colored border cambrics.

Beautiful gift boxes with all purchases

Fare Refunded to Out-of-Town Customers in Accord With Retailers' Plan

Boyd's

Boyd-Richardson Olive and Sixth

Gift Certificates

If you haven't time to shop—if you want to give in quantities—or if you want to be sure he gets what he wants, give a Gift Certificate. Issued in any amount from one dollar up.

Special

Wool Hosiery $1.50

A splendid variety at this price—dropstitch and plain weaves—plain colors, heathers, checks, clocked designs and fancy patterns—fine for Christmas gifts.

Other Wool Hosiery

The markets of England, Scotland and America have been combed for the finest and newest productions. Exquisite fancy wools, rich heathers, handsome plain colors, almost anything you can imagine is here at prices that are right.

75c, $1.00, $1.50, $2.50 to $5.00

Pure Silk Hosiery

75c, $1.00 to $5.00

Lisle and silk-mixed Hosiery, 35c to $3.50

Special fiber and silk-mixed fiber, 50c

Pre-Christmas

Silk Shirt Sale

With the demand for Silk Shirts growing, this sale offers a very exceptional opportunity to secure a gift that will be appreciated.

Silk Shirts of such fine quality and beautiful patterns are certain to please.

$7.50, $8.00, $8.50 and $9.00 Silks $6.50

Thousands of Silks—rich, white silks—beautiful patterns—handsome solid color silks.

Colored Silks

Included are plain colors and new color combinations in stripes. The silks are fine crepe de chines, silk broadcloths, cannalle stripe silk and silk endures.

White Silks

Included are excellent quality radiums, heavy silk crepes, satin-striped Empire silks, silk broadcloths and other fancy white silks.

Imported English Broadcloth Shirts

$3.50

Collar-attached and neckband style—a beautiful white Shirt that makes a very acceptable gift.

Imported English Broadcloth Shirts

$2.50

A very good grade of English Broadcloth—neckband style—French cuff or cylinder cuff—collar-attached or neckband styles—an exceptional Shirt at $2.50.

New Pleated Shirts, $3.00 to $6.00
Evening Dress Shirts, $3.00 to $6.00

Handkerchiefs

Linens, cambrics, silks, English, Irish, French and American Handkerchiefs—many new novelties.

Initialed Handkerchiefs 25c, 35c to $2

Other Handkerchiefs 25c to $3.

Colored Shirts

Special Values at

$2.00, $2.50, $3.00 & $3.50

Madras fabrics, silk-striped fabrics, fiber-striped fabrics and other desirable shirtings, in very new and beautiful patterns.

Store Hours: 8:30 A. M. to 6:00 P. M. Until Xmas

The Subway Sells for Cash Only
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Useful Gifts for Men

In Boyd's Subway

Only Three More Shopping Days

$1.00, $1.25 and $1.50

Neckwear, 65c

Silk Neckwear in stripes, checks and figured designs. Silk and wool Neckwear in neat patterns.

$1.75, $2.00 and $2.50

Neckwear, $1.15

3 for $3.00

Handmade silk Neckwear, with non-wrinkable linings. Good range of patterns. Silk knitted Ties in neat stripes and black.

$1.00, $1.25 and $1.50

Wool Hosiery, 75c

3 for $2.00

Fancy wool Hosiery in desirable patterns and colors. Some are slight seconds

$1.75 and $2.00

Full-Fashioned Hosiery, $1.15

3 for $3.00

Heavy silk Hosiery with lisle feet and silk tops. Black only. Silk and wool in neat patterns; grays and browns. Most of these are slight seconds, some first qualities in the lot.

$6 and $7

Sweaters, $4.50

V-neck Sweaters in neat patterns and plain colors of heather and gray; sizes 34 to 46.

$2.09, $2.50 and $2.75

Shirts, $1.65

English broadcloths, alpha Oxfords, woven madras, fiber striped madras; neckband and collar-attached. Whites, solid colors and neat stripes. All are first quality.

$2.50, $3.00, $3.50

Shirts, $1.95

Neckband and Collar-Attached Styles

White, neat stripes, solid colors, woven and fiber-striped madras, Poplins and broadcloths in neat stripes. Heavyweight English broadcloths in white and solid colors. All first quality.

$3.90, $3.50 and $4.00

Pajamas, $1.95

Madras and fine mercerized fabrics. White, stripes and solid colors. Many with silk frogs.

35c Initialed

Handkerchiefs 20c

Box of 6 for $1.00

Fine cambric Handkerchiefs with white initials.

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Mufflers, $1.65

Heavyweight knitted Mufflers of artificial silks. Flat wools in desirable patterns. Some are seconds.

$5.00

Knit Vests $3.95

Knit Vests in plain colors and checked patterns; well made and good fitting.

Overcoat Sale

$35.00 and $40.00 Overcoats $27

Well tailored, good fitting; most of these Overcoats are made of plaid-back woolens and come in box-back, half belted and full belted models. Grays, browns, tans and mixtures. Several extra value purchases are represented in this lot.

No Mail Orders in the Subway

Boyd's

Boyd-Richardson Olive at Sixth

Federal Subsidies to ... Which President Wou... Now Cost $145,000,...

Government Appropriations t... Funds Started Only 10 Y... With $6,500,000

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Federal Subsidies to States, Which President Would Curtail, Now Cost $145,000,000 a Year

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By CHARLES G. ROSS,
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The subsidy system, it is held, is undermining the autonomy of the states, is multiplying Government bureaus at the capital, and is causing the Federal Government to invade fields of taxation that rightfully belong exclusively to the states.

It is asserted, moreover, as President Coolidge, in effect, suggested in his budget message, that the "pap feeding" of the states is taking away their self-reliance. Instead of shouldering their own responsibilities, they are running more and more to the Federal Government for aid. The system is seen as a milestone on what the Post-Dispatch has characterized as the "march toward Federal empire."

Against the system it is also being urged that it unduly penalizes the states that pay the highest taxes. For example, the State of New York contributes nearly 25 per cent of all Federal taxes and receives only a little more than 5 per cent of the money allotted as Federal aid. Nevada, which contributes only two-hundredths of one per cent of the Federal taxes receives more than 1 per cent of the subsidies.

Such differences are inevitable under the subsidy system. Taxes are paid on the basis of income and subsidies are granted on the basis of need. Defenders of the subsidies deny there is any injustice in the system. Much of the income of the rich states, they point out, arises from transactions and investments in other states. They assert, moreover, that it is economically wise to aid the weak at the expense of the strong, inasmuch as the prosperity of each state depends on the prosperity of all the others.

Extreme Cases.

A table has recently been prepared showing the amounts contributed in Federal taxes by each state during the fiscal year 1924 and the amounts received by the states under the six principal subsidy laws. From these figures calculations have been made to show what proportion of the tax paid by each state was returned to the state in the form of subsidies.

The extreme cases are those of New York and Nevada. New York got back one-half of 1 per cent of its tax payments, while Nevada received as subsidies 16 per cent more than it paid into the Federal Treasury in taxes.

No other state got subsidies equaling its tax payments, but several received a high proportionate benefit. Alabama got back 17.4 per cent of its tax payments; Arizona, 42 per cent; Arkansas, 20.82; Georgia, 11.14; Idaho, 15.08; Iowa, 11.97; Mississippi, 23.55; New Mexico, 98.91; North Dakota, 89.05; Oklahoma, 13.41; Oregon, 10.83; South Carolina, 15.18; South Dakota, 60.24; Texas, 12.06; Utah, 19.98; Vermont, 10.62; Wyoming, 42.14.

Missouri paid in Federal taxes $68,794,487 and got back in subsidies $2,503,602. The return was only 3.62 of the taxes paid.

There are six principal subsidy acts, all passed within the last 10 years. These are the Smith-Lever act of 1914, providing for co-operative agricultural extension work between the Department of Agriculture and the land grant colleges; the Federal aid road act of 1916, the Chamberlain-Kahn venereal disease act of 1918, the Smith-Hughes vocational education act of 1919, the industrial rehabilitation act of 1920 and the Sheppard-Towner maternity act of 1921.

What Missouri Received.

Under these acts approximately $521,772,175 had been granted to the State down to the end of the fiscal year 1924, as against total subsidies to the states in 1914 of less than $6,500,000.

The amounts received by Missouri under the six acts during the fiscal year 1924 were as follows:

Smith-Lever act	$ 200,021
Road act	2,114,412
Vocational education act	161,844
Industrial rehabilitation act	6,443
Venereal disease act	3,220
Maternity act	16,762

In the conditions laid down for the granting of subsidies, the six acts are strikingly similar. Each provides for close co-operation between the Federal Government and the State, and gives the Federal officers wide powers over the co-operating state agency. Certain of the state officials are virtually declared to be Federal agents in some of their activities. Each of the acts requires the state to match the Federal appropriation

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If Men Are Not Really Equal Before the Law

(AS CIRCUIT JUDGE HUGO GRIMM SAYS)

How Can Court Procedure Be Altered So Poor Will Have Same Chance as Rich?

Chancellor Hadley of Washington University Gives His Views, Using Motlow Verdict to Illustrate Issues Involved.

By CARLOS F. HURD.

A RECKLESS shot, fired by a rich traveler who had been drinking, killed an innocent man. A jury viewed the fatality as an accident, regrettable only because the bullet killed a white man, instead of the negro for whom, so far as a drink-confused brain had any purpose, it seemed to have been meant.

"We, the jury, find the defendant, Lem Motlow, not guilty." The trial ended with this announcement one night recently. The verdict was taken as a triumph by the accused man, his staff of seven lawyers, and the political and business friends who had rallied to his support. And Motlow was publicly welcomed and acclaimed, on his return to the "sunny Tennessee" of which the jurors had sung during their supposed deliberations on the evidence.

But while Motlow scored a triumph, it was felt by many that the law suffered a defeat—a defeat the more severe because, at this time, movements for strengthening the law and removing obstacles to its enforcement are well under way.

St. Louis newspapers expressed varying degrees of disapproval of the jury's action, but their expressions seemed mild beside those of the largest daily paper of Tennessee, which capped a series of sarcastic paragraphs with the exclamation, "O tempora, O mores, O justice, oh hell!"

A candidate for Mayor, preaching law enforcement, used the Motlow acquittal as illustrating conditions that he promised to "clean up." A minister of the gospel, in a "pulpit editorial," censured the jurors and the highly connected character witnesses and declared that "the dollar is of more importance in St. Louis than human life."

"Men Not Equal Before the Law"

More authoritative, though more guarded, were the criticisms that came from men high in the legal profession. Circuit Judge J. Hugo Grimm, a leader in movements to correct and strengthen the courts, declared in a luncheon speech that "It is not true that all men are equal before the law," and proceeded to illustrate, though without mentioning Motlow's name, by comparing the case of a wealthy man, accused of murder, and able to employ high-priced counsel, and a poor man under a like accusation."

Chancellor Herbert S. Hadley of Washington University, former Attorney-General and Governor of Missouri, has a leading place in the nation-wide movement for simplifying and strengthening the criminal laws and removing technical and procedural obstacles to justice. His discussions of this subject, published in the Post-Dispatch last spring, had much to do with starting the movement, in which the city and State bar associations are now enlisted, for improving the administration of criminal justice.

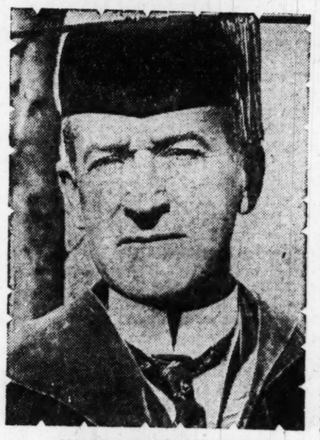
Chancellor Hadley was asked by the Post-Dispatch for his views on the Motlow verdict and the issues involved. His statement on the matter was:

"I fully agree with Judge Grimm in his statement that we do not have equal justice in this country, as between the rich and the poor.

"Judge Amidon of the Federal bench, who was a pioneer in the attempted reform of the criminal law, stated that a man guilty of crime and able to employ able and experienced lawyers, had more than an even chance of acquittal. I agree with that statement, and it is certainly a reflection on our system of administering criminal justice.

"The Motlow case is evidence of the truth of what Judge Amidon said. This man seemed, from the evidence presented, to be clearly guilty of some degree of homicide, yet was acquitted.

"Had he been on trial in the Federal Court, before Judge Faris or Judge Davis, the chances are easily four out of five that he would have been convicted in some degree. Yet, if he had been tried before those same Judges in our State courts, the result probably would have been as it was.



CHANCELLOR HADLEY
Of Washington University.

"This is because the Federal Judges have power and authority to direct the trial and assist the jury in understanding the evidence. In the State courts all a Judge can do is to pass on objections, preserve order and instruct the jury in writing as to the law.

"One who has not spent years, as I have, in the trial of criminal cases, does not realize how different may be the actual atmosphere of a criminal trial than is indicated by the cold record of what the witnesses, the lawyers and the Judge said.

Unshackling the Judge

"There are a hundred little incidents during a trial, which an adroit lawyer may create or use, that will make atmosphere for the defendant, when the actual testimony may be against him.

"The Judge is the man who can do most to control such a situation. He, more than all others, can influence the current and the conduct of the case. Under our present system he is much hampered, but a Judge of unusual force of character and dominant personality can do much.

"I agree with Col. Houts that the Judge should have more power and authority to direct the trial. As Judge Thayer said in his great work on evidence:

"'Trial by jury, in a form which would withhold from the jury the assistance of the Court in dealing with the facts, is not trial by jury in any historic sense of the term.'

"A law making this change could, I believe, be passed under our present Constitution. Certainly our Judges should have more power to direct a criminal trial than an umpire has in a baseball game.

"If an inexperienced man is employed in any business, he is given expert direction. But a juryman, summoned to perform a judicial duty, is denied the assistance and direction of the Judge learned and experienced in weighing evidence and assessing the credibility of witnesses.

"In some states the Judge is even denied the right to advise as to the law, but here in Missouri we permit him to do that in writing, which the lawyers usually read to the jury.

"Some of the fault is in my own profession, and I hope I can still speak of these matters as a lawyer. We have some wrong standards, as we are disposed to glorify the lawyer who can 'get off defendants,' who can win verdicts from juries, without reference to the merits of the litigation.

"In this fault the public must share, for lawyers are usually employed by clients whose only interest is that they win decisions.

The Lawyer's Standing

"We are frequently confronted with the inquiry, 'Does the title of lawyer today carry with it a presumption of education, character, ability and integrity?' Many are heard to answer this question in the negative, and the problem is one with which the profession should deal, and I believe is dealing.

"I do not believe that the ordinary citizen fully understands, from the accounts of crime in the newspapers, how bad the situation really is. A few days ago a St. Louis business man, Mr. Carl F. G. Meyer, told me of numerous instances of crimes against person and property in St. Louis of which he personally knew, in which those injured had been intimidated from making complaint, identifying the guilty persons or appearing as witnesses. From his own experience and that of other business men, he said that an almost incredible amount of stealing goes on.

"When injured parties are afraid to complain to the police, or appear as witnesses in court, then the administration of criminal justice has almost broken down.

"Yet the situation is not hopeless. England, 100 years ago, passed through something of the same experience we have today. The English people once glorified their criminals. Today they are the most law-abiding, because the best law-enforcing nation in the world.

"When such public-spirited citizens as Elihu Root, John W. Davis, Messrs. Wickersham, Guthrie, Carson and Byrne, and such men as our own Fred Lehmann, Dan Kirby and Judge Williams are giving of their time and means to raise the standards of our profession and improve the law, and when such men as Guy Thompson, Judge Grimm, Judge Hennings, Senator Wilfley, Mr. Lashly and Senator Lyons and Mr. McCutcheon of Kansas City are trying to find out where are the real weaknesses in our system of criminal justice, and to suggest the remedies, the future is not without promise. The recently formed association for the promotion of criminal justice offers an effective means for substantial improvement."

Charles A. Houts, former United States District Attorney, to whose statement Chancellor Hadley referred, took the view that the Motlow verdict was not a case in which legal technicalities had a determining part.

"The decision was squarely on the merits of the controversy," Houts said. "That juries are continually influenced to reach wrong conclusions through appeals to prejudice and passion and to sympathy, and through consideration of facts entirely foreign to the questions involved, is known to every active practicing lawyer.

Defects of Jury System

"The defect in the jury system in Missouri, as I view it, lies in the fact that under our system the jury in the trial of a case is left to the tender mercy of opposing lawyers, who pull and haul at it with very little restraint from the Court. The jury can get no real guidance or help from the Judge. The Judge makes rulings on technical questions of law, some of which the jurors understand, and some of which they do not understand. The Judge is no real participator in the proceedings. He is not much more than a policeman in plain clothes to preserve order. He is debarred from indicating his opinion upon any question of fact. He cannot indicate his opinion of the testimony of a witness, however corrupt or unbelievable the witness may be.

"The Judge is presumed to be impartial. He is assumed to know the applicable law. He has usually had a long experience in sifting out the truth from the untruth and the important from the unimportant. He is peculiarly qualified to decide questions of law and of fact. Yet, under our jury system, his learning and experience counts practically for nothing. The jury cannot look to him for any real guidance. If they are bewildered by the clamor of the attorneys and the conflicting testimony of honest or dishonest witnesses, they are left to their own resources without any help from the one person participating in the trial who is both impartial and experienced and who can have no other motive than to see the right prevail and the wrong defeated."

Houts then told of the superior system prevailing in the Federal Courts, and said that criminals, in consequence, stand in greater fear of the Federal courts than of the State courts. State Judges should have more power, he declared, and should then be held responsible, by the people who elect them, for miscarriages of justice.

Mortimer the Personification Of Hatred and Revenge in Testifying Against Forbes

Sidelights on the Trial of Former Head of Veterans' Bureau at Chicago—St. Louis Lawyer Nettles Judge—Accused St. Louis Contractor Maintains a Horrified Attitude.

By PAUL Y. ANDERSON,
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.

SCANDAL and mathematics have been the main ingredients of the Forbes-Thompson trial thus far. Contrary to what might be expected, they mix readily. For dreary hours, lawyers and witnesses may toil through a maze of contracts, dates, costs, specifications and other tiresome detail. Then suddenly the lid comes off. The concrete mixer gives way to the cocktail shaker. Craps games are disclosed in all their wild splendor; highballs flow; men and women in full evening dress are seen blithely leaping into the lake amid cheers. Secret codes pass. High dignitaries disappear behind the scenes with other men's wives. Millionaires and "fixers" whisper in the corner. Beautiful stage ladies dance on and off, and the band plays Oriental music while furtive gentlemen exchange $500 bills in the bathroom.

It is stirring and mysterious. It is exotic and sinister. Then the lid is clapped on again. More statistics. More plans and specifications. More dates and data. Three fashionably gowned spectators depart. Three others look indignant, but remain. The juror on the off end rolls his chewing tobacco languidly, and cocks one eye on the ceiling.

It is all very dull and depressing, when bang!—up goes the curtain once more on The Scandals of 1922. The witness calls the defendant a bigamist and a deserter. The lawyer calls the witness a crook. Witness says lawyer's client stole his wife. Lawyer asks court to make witness stick to the subject. Court says if counsel would stick to the subject, maybe the witness would. Counsel takes exception to court's ruling. Court takes exception to counsel's courtroom manners.

In short, as the dramatic critic would put it, the plot lacks continuity, and lags dreadfully in spots, but there are passages of great dash and fire, where the play rises to emotional heights, and reveals a broad strain of colorful, swaggering villainy.

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As a matter of fact, villainy, real or alleged, is about all it has revealed to date. The leading character insists that he is a villain of the deepest hue and that the others are fellow villains. Even the mathematics is villainous. Dates and statistics that have gone through life honored and respected by all who knew them rise up in open court and call each other liars and suborners of perjury.

In this trial, in which Charles R. Forbes, former director of the United States Veterans' Bureau, and John W. Thompson, a wealthy St. Louis contractor, are charged with conspiring to defraud the Government in connection with contracts for the construction of a hospital for disabled soldiers at Northampton, Mass., the central character is a witness, Elias H. Mortimer by name.

Mortimer was one of those shifty individuals who ply their devious trade in the national capital, feeding on the various "good things" which they are able to dig up in connection with the business of the Government.

The vast activities of the war hatched a great brood of them. The operation of the income tax law has produced a flock. And prohibition attracted the largest swarm of all. They hover around the executive departments like horseflies around a livery stable. They "get a line on" contracts to be let; they pull wires to obtain pardons and paroles. They assist in getting whisky withdrawal permits, and in having revoked licenses restored to breweries and distilleries. And all for a price. They harvest a thousand and one other plums. The two years of the Harding administration, with its liquidation of the war organization and resources, furnished the richest picking in their history. By some this was called "business in government."

Mortimer was accounted one of the shrewdest of the "fixers." He went after the big stuff. He talked of splits and percentages in terms of real money. He lived in the finest residence hotel in Washington, and kept a Packard and a liveried chauffeur. He was known as a good mixer and a free spender. His tastes ran to prewar liquor and craps games. The "fixers," as a rule, do not dally with blank verse and Grecian urns. They come from the half-world where men live by their wits and luck.

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When President Harding, on the strength of a personal liking, took "Charlie" Forbes from obscurity and made him the head of the Government's largest bureau, Mortimer promptly set to work making himself solid with the new director. He knew there would be contracts to let and supplies to be purchased. He approached contractors and offered to sell them his services in getting jobs.

"I asked for a 50-50 split of the profits, but they would only agree to 35 per cent," he said.

"Did you consider that fair and reasonable?" counsel asked.

"Sure. There are always several people to be taken care of in a proposition like that," he answered.

"I'm not interested in whether he considered it fair and reasonable, but I'd like to know if it is the customary thing around Washington," remarked Judge Carpenter.

Irony is lost on Mortimer. He does not deal in the imponderables. With perfect seriousness he assured the court that there was nothing unusual in either the practice or the percentage.

It is admitted that Forbes and Mortimer became very close. Forbes spent much time at Mortimer's apartment. Meanwhile, Mortimer had become "agent" for Thompson and his partner, James W. Black. It is admitted that Forbes, Mortimer, Thompson and Black met several times. The defense says the meetings were mostly social. Mortimer says it was business and then pleasure. The concrete mixer and the cocktail shaker had a working agreement, according to him.

Anyhow, in July, 1922, Forbes awarded the Northampton hospital foundation contract to Black's Pontiac Construction Co., although another's bid was $27,000 lower.

Thompson says he was not in on that job, that Black had it alone. Mortimer says he gave Forbes $5000 of Thompson's and Black's money, and that, as additional bait, they offered Forbes a $100,000 a year job in connection with a South American syndicate they were floating, and promised him $33,333 to help Thompson get a settlement of a $700,000 claim which he had against the Government arising from the wartime seizure of his ship, the Gutthell. Also, that he was to get $50,000 out of each of three Western hospital contracts.

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Then a terrific feud arose between Forbes and Mortimer. It was the old story. Mortimer charged Forbes with alienating Mrs. Mortimer's affections. She is

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I know that my retirement will make no difference in its cardinal principles, that it will always fight for progress and reform, never tolerate injustice or corruption, always fight demagogues of all parties, never belong to any party, always oppose privileged classes and public plunderers, never lack sympathy with the poor, always remain devoted to the public welfare, never be satisfied with merely printing news, always be drastically independent; never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory plutocracy or predatory poverty.

JOSEPH PULITZER.
April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

The name and address of the author must accompany every contribution, but on request will not be published. Letters not exceeding 200 words will receive preference.

Prohibition a Failure.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

WAYNE B. WHEELER, chief counsel, Anti-Saloon League, missed his calling. He should be in Chicago selling the Masonic Temple to visiting rubes. Wheeler's Thanksgiving statement contains a prize collection of false assertions. Here are a few:

"Drunkenness has become negligible; alcoholic insanity has been greatly reduced; church membership has increased; the loss of human life has been brought down; most policemen and prohibition officers have proven themselves loyal; the crime rate has so decreased that many jails are closed, others are sold, and our penal population is below the average of license years." Mr. Wheeler made these astounding assertions in support of his contention that the people of the United States should give thanks for prohibition!

To refute Mr. Wheeler we need only refer to a batch of newspaper headlines gathered at random:

"Hospital Moonshine Poison Cases Total Above 200 for Week" (N. Y.). "Hospital Alcoholic Cases Swell" (Chicago). "7000 Blind Pigs in Detroit, Police Commissioner Asserts." "Chief Threatened in Rum Scandal" (Washington!). "Heralded 'Dry' Celebration Very Moist" (Chicago). "Williamson County Raids Fail to Banish Booze." "Philadelphia Poison Booze Toll is 3000 for Year." "Crazed by Liquor, Shoots Two at Dance." "Judge Raps Dry Law as Creator of Misery" (N. Y.). "Appalling Increase in Stills Seized." (Washington!).

St. Louis evidence against Wheeler's veracity: "Moonshine Proves Fatal;" "2500 Alcoholic Cases at City Hospital for Year;" "11 Cases of Acute Alcoholism Yesterday;" "Raiders Find Wine Hidden in Cistern."

Wheeler's claimed rigid enforcement of the Eighteenth Amendment and especially his alleged "loyal" prohibition men will be received with a grain of salt in St. Louis, the scene of "protected" beer and official bribe scandals.

Statistics dispute Wheeler's claim that we have become a church-going, law-abiding nation. In our own State we have our newly formed association for criminal justice destined to make a survey of conditions and to devise ways and means of combatting the tremendous and unprecedented wave of crime and lawlessness. Criminal dockets, both State and Federal courts, are so hopelessly congested that everywhere we are told that we need more judges to deal with the situation. Neither have we heard of any jails being sold at auction or of penitentiaries being torn down because law breakers have become church goers. Illinois has just completed an addition to the Joliet prison and an addition to the Federal prison at Leavenworth is now in course of construction.

I once was an ardent member of Mr. Wheeler's camp. I made addresses and wrote articles in favor of prohibition before it came. But having observed it in operation (or lack of operation) here are my conclusions and the reasons why I would work and vote against prohibition today:

It is unenforceable; it has created widespread disrespect for law; corrupted police departments; made bribe takers of honest officials; made whisky drinkers of herstofore beer drinkers, and a growing traffic in poison liquors (a result of prohibition) has collected an appalling toll of human life.

MARTIN A. DILLMON.

The Wastes of War.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

YOUR editorial in a recent Post-Dispatch, entitled "Women and War," is the best editorial I have seen in the Post-Dispatch for a number of months. In this editorial it states more facts in a minute than most people can write in a book.

I am very glad to note that you understand these retired Rear Admirals, especially Rear Admiral Fiske, retired. In the first place, what good is a retired Admiral? In my opinion, a trouble maker.

The situation of the American people is peculiar. Do you know that the interest on $290,000,000 runs about $1,250,000 per year? Change it around. Suppose that the sum of $290,000,000 per year were placed in a Government fund for the erection of homes and development for American people—it would amount to about $50,000,000,000. Suppose that the $290,000,000 per year wasted through the Navy Department was expended for the development and homes of the average American—it would mean that these moneys would pay 6 per cent interest upon approximately $50,000,000,000 per year. This shows how unprofitable war is to the American people. In the first place, what's the idea? Whom have we to fight? In my opinion, it is all plain bunk. Anyway, your editorial is really fine and full of real facts, and you are to be highly congratulated. Keep the good work going. R. W. MOTTAZ.

THE POWER OF THE JINGO.

The resolution of Representative Fred A. Britten of Illinois proposing a conference of the Pacific nations excluding Japan is without legal significance. No voice but the author's has been raised in its behalf. Even the anti-Japanese Congressmen of the Pacific Coast States oppose it as unnecessary and dangerous. There is no chance of its being adopted, or even taken seriously.

Yet it has power, the same kind of power as a match placed in the hands of a child or an idiot. A tiny flame in such hands may start a fire that no human effort can stop. A resolution proposed by a single Congressman, though it may not have another single supporter, may precipitate a chain of retaliatory action that would end in war, the sacrifice of sons and brothers, the decimation of families, impoverishment, destruction. The kick of a cow may burn a city, and the braying of an ass betray a happy people.

The Britten resolution came at a particularly unhappy moment. It followed close upon a statement by the newly appointed Japanese Ambassador, Matsudaira, which breathed cordiality and confidence in the friendship between the two countries. It induced the State Department to indulge in an unprecedented expression as an antidote to the Britten poison. The department issued a statement highly complimenting the new Ambassador and expressing pleasure at the cordial relations of the two Governments.

The effect of the Britten firebrand may be read in his own words. He wants us to arm and maneuver our navy in preparation for a conflict with Japan. He believes that Japan is preparing against us. The game works both ways. The Japanese jingoes hear, imagine or invent rumors, and goad their Government to hostile preparation. The American jingoes do exactly the same thing. The Japanese retaliate, then the Americans. Possibly Americans are the first to swallow unfounded reports. Once the game is started it keeps going till both are at the brink of war in nervous expectancy of the first blow. And in such circumstances a first blow is sure to fall.

But there is an even subtler force at work. It has to do with national psychology. Salesmen, advertisers understand it. The constant repetition of an idea never won a battle of reason. But it bores into the subconscious mind until it may produce action. The constant advertising of the possibility of war by jingo politicians—we cannot call them statesmen—jingo naval officers, jingo newspapers and agitators of every description slowly but powerfully instills the idea that war sooner or later is inevitable. Who can say with authority that such an idea is justified? Is it inevitable that the human race will not turn from politics to science to save itself from destruction?

But we cannot hope to suppress jingoes with reason. Foreign offices equipped with the best of brains cannot prevail against them without some protection other than the desperate propping up of friendly relations. Some fool is sure to yell "fire" or throw mud. The nations must organize against this thing and against all needless tendencies to war. The power to make war must be kept from jingoes as matches and dynamite are kept from children and lunatics.

THE SWINDLE SURVEY.

The fake stock promoter finds his happiest hunting grounds in the industrial Middle West—meaning Michigan, Ohio and Indiana. The second choicest game preserve for these sharp shooters is the industrial East—Pennsylvania, New York, Massachusetts and, less productively, New Jersey. In the agricultural Middle West, embracing Iowa, the Dakotas, Nebraska and Kansas, the once gullible farmer is now a hard-boiled immune, but the yeomanry of Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas still yield good bags and the Pacific coast is still literally the Golden West to the Nimrods of the bunk.

Those are the conclusions of a survey, not yet completed, by the National Vigilance Committee of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World. The total annual loss is estimated at $600,000,000, but progress is reported. Under the slogan, "Before you Invest—Investigate," a movement has developed which hopes to cut the total in half within the next two or three years, "with adequate public co-operation."

The character of this co-operation is not indicated in the news reports, but the recent trial of the Hawkins Mortgage Co. at Indianapolis and the vigorous instruction of Judge Geiger pointed straight at necessary and practicable measures for protection.

Tighter laws against the vendor of spurious stocks, and their rigorous enforcement by ably manned blue-sky departments, will do two things. First, they will make the confidence man's work more difficult. Second, they will make it much more hazardous for the supposedly reputable business man to associate himself in such swindling ventures.

The subject is worthy the most serious consideration of the Legislatures soon to convene.

MONUMENTS TO GREAT MISSOURIANS.

Senator Reed tearfully tells the Missouri Society at Washington that scarcely a first-class monument to any great Missourian can be found in this State. The Senator means well enough, his purpose is laudable, but his sentiment seems superficially old-fashioned. By monuments he means statues in bronze or marble, set up at some point convenient to the gaze of passersby.

A much more sensible monument to our great Missourians would be an adequate textbook prepared for use in the public schools. The book would tell the story of Missouri's evolution from a savage wilderness to a State sufficiently civilized to justify it in looking any other American commonwealth full in the face and telling it to mend its own ways before it dares scoff at Missouri. The volume would include brief life stories of the great Missourians who have made Missouri great. Instead of a statue bearing only a name, such as "Thomas Hart Benton," or "Frank Preston Blair," or "Mark Twain," the book would tell who Benton or Blair or Clemens was, and what he did, and what he stood for, and in what manner his work contributed toward the common good.

It may be suggested that such a book might be used to advantage by the average adult Missourian of today. Most of us are so obsessed with the active present that we ignore the active past, particularly as it concerns our own general community. It is all right to know that Thomas Jefferson of Virginia bought the vast Louisiana Territory from Napoleon Bonaparte at a bargain. But is it not of equal importance, and even more thrillingly interesting, to know that Thomas Benton of Missouri had the vision and the virility to foresee and to fight for the extension of this republic to the Pacific shores, in which movement his voice thundered for years in the United States Senate against the piping trebles of New Englanders who were without virility or vision?

Missourians should know the great Missourians more intimately than a passing glance at a cast or a carving can serve toward acquaintanceship. Senator Reed's eloquence might well be invoked toward this end.

GOVERNMENT AND RIVERS.

Secretary Weeks deems that the Government's duty toward re-establishing river navigation will have been performed when physical conditions precedent to profitable river carrying have been brought about. Private capital, he says, cannot be expected to invest in river barge lines until adequate channels for all seasons have been provided. As the river channels belong to the Government only the Government has the right to improve them. If private capital could improve them it could also control them. Manifestly the rivers cannot, under any stretch of the imagination, become private rights of way.

As a matter of fact it may be necessary for the Government to continue the operation of the lines even after the channels have been opened, for reasons other than those mentioned. It all depends on the railroads. The railroads have more than one reason to pursue a rivalrous attitude toward the rivers. They not only compete in the river valleys but they compete in transcontinental service. The railroads are being accused right now of attempting to bring about the closing of the Panama Canal for coastwise service. The canal is a link in the major scheme of revived river transportation and an ally of the rivers. Hindrance of domestic shipping through it would be a blow to the rivers.

It becomes obvious, therefore, that the Government owes a responsibility to the rivers and their beneficiaries other than digging channels and starting the service. It owes the rivers continued protection from the railroads. It is already established, as Mr. Weeks and Col. Ashburn concede, that the Government barge lines are paying investments. Cleared channels would only mean a better investment. If barge operation in the hands of private capital failed to pay with the channels open it would mean either that the river lines had fallen into the hands of the railroads or that the railroads, in one way or another, were throttling the river lines. This could be done not only by discriminatory practices but by influencing the writing of the laws and the appointment of Interstate Commerce Commissioners.

There are numerous possibilities in the development of the transportational facilities of the future, among which may be counted Government ownership of the railroads. But whatever the developments in rail administration, one fact remains certain: That is that the business of the country will increasingly need the rivers not only for economy but to relieve congestion in traffic due to the increasing population and commerce of the country.

Government investment in and maintenance of the river channels, therefore, cannot become a loss. Loss can be incurred only in abandoning the rivers, thus necessitating a larger investment on that inevitable day when they will have to be restored as the carriers of commerce.

SPOTLIGHT MAYFIELD.

Facts published months ago regarding the disgraceful methods used by the Ku Klux Klan in Texas to "put over" Earle B. Mayfield's election to the Senate are now reinforced by the later results of the investigation, a brief covering the whole matter being now ready to be placed before the Senate committee appointed to consider the charges. The committee, of which Senator Spencer is chairman, will meet for this purpose Thursday of this week.

If the charges in this brief can be proved, the Senate will have before it another Newberry case. The charges include illegal expenditure of money in the senatorial campaign, intimidation of voters, mutilation and misuse of the ballot, stealing of ballot boxes and other irregularities and frauds, perpetrated at the instance and with the active aid of the local Ku Klux Klan, agents from klan headquarters in Atlanta and in some instances with the co-operation of the Antisaloon League.

So much publicity has been given to this Texas senatorial scandal, and the charges made are so numerous and weighty, that the Senate should not permit the investigation to die in committee. Throw the spotlight on Mayfield. If he is innocent he should be glad to have it proved.

THE STATE'S BUSINESS.

The State Tax Commission has prepared information to guide the Legislature in applying the ax on appropriations asked for the years 1925 and 1926. The sum requested by the various departments and institutions is nearly $13,000,000 in excess of revenues. The State University and teachers' colleges, which estimated their needs at nearly $12,000,000, were cut to about $5,000,000. The university itself, which wants $6,626,864, some of which would go for new buildings, will have to get along with $2,670,500, if the recommendation of the commission goes through. The School of Mines would be cut nearly one-half; Lincoln University, two-thirds; teachers' colleges, around one-half. The eleemosynary institutions would be trimmed from $2,720,052 to $974,242.

Either these institutions are asking wildly in excess of what they need or the State is cutting them down to fearfully less than they need. In any case it is inescapable that our system of fitting revenues to needs or needs to revenues is grossly unscientific and unbusinesslike. Are we stunting our educational institutions and keeping them to a low standard by denying them rightful sustenance? Are we keeping our eleemosynary and penal institutions in such want that they cannot function properly and humanely? Who knows? How can an approximately right figure be struck between such extremes of estimate and allowance? How could a private business be operated on such a riotous range of guess figures?

It goes without saying that a great deal of money is wasted in our 73 State departments, boards and commissions which could be reduced and consolidated to about 12. But, in addition to being overtaxed, is the State being cheated in the money it does spend by the appropriation of inadequate amounts where the need is genuine? If only we could have a real business man at the head of the State until it could get a start on a proper footing!

A CROSS-WORD ADDICT'S ORGY

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the Post-Dispatch By CLARK McADAMS

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CHRISTMAS THEN AND NOW.

If I could sing some song in mystic rhyme;
If I could take some magic wand, and then
For once turn back the moving hand of Time,
And call to yesteryears: "Come back again!"

Ah! what could buy those joys in days agone,
When all my heart had known was to be glad!
I sit beside the hearth-fire now and mourn,
While memories come again and make me sad.

The trundle-bed and all my Christmas dreams;
My mother's kiss and her dear, fond caress;
The years have passed, but still her dear face seems
To shine anew with looks of tenderness.

And father's love made glad my Christmas joys;
He'd tell of Santa Claus, and then his smile
As I would wildly play with all my toys—
Ah! could those days come back for just a while.

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The hand of Time still moves forever on,
And others come to share their Christmas joys;
Life comes anew, and, tho' the past is gone,
Some other children play with Christmas toys.

It were not best to shed the bitter tear,
And spend the passing days in vain regret;
For Time's good hand hath brought another year,
And Christmas joys are ever with us yet.

If I were asked to tell the happiness—
A Christmas joy that never, never ends,
I answer, "Those dear lives that ever bless—
Those hearts that give their love to me—my friends!"

B. FRANKLIN HUNTER.

Paris, Tenn.

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GN: A sign I saw on Chouteau avenue:

Turkeys
Ducks
Gesses
Hens

He gets another guess on geese, doesn't he?

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OW: Sign on Washington avenue:

Assorted Chocolates in Holy Boxes

It looks as if, besides the berries, one of the l's had dropped out of Christmas holly this year.

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VOR SONNENAUFGANG.

Of all thy star songs
Ringing from thy throat
And falling faint to earth in echo,
Thy lonely silences
Alone I note.

Of all God's beauties,
There is none to tell
The vivid ecstacy thy dark,
Damaskene silences
Can speak so well. . . .

SPASSMACHER.

LEM AND THE GOVERNOR.

It is a dark and gloomy day at the State Capitol; the darkest and gloomiest offices in the entire building are the Executive Offices; and the darkest and gloomiest of them all is the Governor's own. A dim light burns in a single desk lamp on the great man's desk, but this serves only to emphasize the gloom. The Governor sits in his great chair, faintly visible in the light reflected from the polished top of his desk. Important papers of state are before him; but his head is bowed. Perhaps he is thinking of the welfare of the people who have brought him to his high position. Perhaps he is planning some constructive legislation for their good. Or perhaps, who can tell, he is considering the pardon of a young boy murderer who shot to defend his mother from a drunken father. But, no; see, he has dropped a paper, a newspaper, from his hand. It falls to the floor. A great sigh comes from the lips of the Governor. But, look; it is not a local paper. It is not a paper from his own State. It is from a great city in a neighboring State. It is from St. Louis. The Governor has just read how his friend, that noble Tennessee gentleman, Col. Motlow, is languishing behind cruel bars—and wrongfully. The paper says he killed a white man, but the Governor knows it was the black man who should have died. It was only an accident that the conductor got in the way and received the shot. A very unfortunate accident, it is true, but that is no reason Lem should be in a cell. The Governor suddenly raises his bowed head, straightens himself in his chair, and rings for his secretary, who comes on the instant.

"We've got to do something, and do it now, for Lem! Find out how we can help him most." So spake the great man.

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It is a bright and cheerful day at the State Capitol; the brightest and most cheerful offices in the entire building are the Executive Offices; and the brightest and most cheerful of them all is the Governor's own. A brilliant chandelier hangs in the center of the ceiling, blazing with lights; even the great walls are illuminated here and there with electric tapers; there is not a dark corner. The Governor's desk is cleared as for a holiday, its polished top resembling a mirror more than a work bench. The great chair is empty. The Governor is standing. He seems to be waiting. He is impatient, and paces back and forth. Perhaps there is to be a reception. Perhaps all the good people of the State have been invited to meet their Governor. Or perhaps, who can tell, some great person is calling on the Governor. It may be the President of the United States! Surely the preparations indicate no one less distinguished. But, no; the secretary approaches, pauses respectfully, and announces in a voice full of joy, "Colonel Motlow!"

"Lem!" cries the Governor.

"Governor!" cries Lem.

And they embrace. JULIAN PAGE.

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MAKE IT TWO.

The following notice recently appeared in a Mississippi paper:

A middle aged man, well educated, would like to receive an invitation to visit a gentleman who has a well stocked cellar. Can stay an indefinite period.

Have a faint suspicion that Just a Minute and Joseph D. Heade would also accept.

Marion, Illinois. E. H. F.

You said it.

The MIRROR OF PUBLIC OPINION

This column is designed to reflect without bias the latest comment by leading publicists, newspapers and periodicals on the questions of the day.

THE PREHISTORIC ARTIST.

VERNON KELLOGG in the North American Review.

PREHISTORIC man is already experimenting his tools and weapons and pictures on cave walls and carving statuettes, when he emerges from his low Neanderthal stage, when he was decidedly "animal among animals," into the much higher stage of the Aurignacian and culture. Yet this "much higher stage" was still in the Palaeolithic or old stone age. It was in a time when wild horses, reindeer, bisons, mammoths and woolly rhinoceroses, and other creatures now extinct, roamed over Europe even to its southernmost borders. It was in the glacial epoch, when great ice-sheets covered Scandinavia and part of Great Britain and extended into Northern Germany. It was that time on the most fascinating part of the story of prehistoric man is that of his development as artist. There are the limestone caverns in Southern France whose walls are veritable picture galleries of prehistoric art. Drawings, plain or colored with ochre and paint, purely superficial or cut in relief, pictures, realistic or impressionistic, of the wild animals of the time and of prehistoric man himself, on every available foot of wall surface in the caverns. Scattered elsewhere in his rough rock shelters or buried in the rock-strewn soil which cover the sites of his former camps and gathering places, are engraved and carved ivory and bone and stone implements and ornaments of great variety and real beauty. These pictures and carvings show obvious degrees of artistic skill. There were Palaeolithic Michelangeloes and Leonardos. And there were also those who had the impulse but not the capacity.

IN THE SHADOW OF THE MOON.

From the Cleveland Plain Dealer.

ONE of the miracles of modern astronomy is the accuracy with which not only the time of a solar eclipse, but also its precise path can be foretold. A total eclipse is due on Jan. 24, and it is of interest because the total phase will be visible to observers in a densely populated part of the United States. If the weather is clear at sunrise of that important day thousands of men and women and children will witness a phenomenon of great impressiveness. In mapping the course of the eclipse great care has been taken, and it has been found that the Southern limit of totality will pass across the City of New York. So accurately has the path been mapped that it is stated with certainty that New Yorkers north of One-hundred and Tenth street will see the total eclipse while those south of One-hundred and Tenth street will see only a partial phase of the eclipse. It is not at all unlikely that a considerable part of the population of Manhattan will migrate to the northern regions early in the morning of the fourth Saturday of January. Perhaps never before has a city been divided in just this manner. The division itself is interesting; but the fact that it is confidently foretold weeks or months in advance is far more interesting as indicating a perfection of scientific accuracy quite incomprehensible to the layman.

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The best thing to be said of Mortimer is that he is a fighter. Throwing caution to the winds, he set out to "get" Forbes. That such a campaign meant exposure of all his own schemes, that it meant financial ruin, social ostracism, and, perhaps imprisonment, did not deter him. There is something almost admirable in the singleness of purpose with which he set himself the task of destroying his enemy. Whatever crossed that purpose was instantly and ruthlessly sacrificed.

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"I was willing to serve a few years in the penitentiary to take him with me," he grimly confesses. "I don't know why I wasn't in...dicted. I am as guilty as he is. It was all crooked, from beginning to end. We were after all we could get. I was willing to commit bri...bery, and Forbes was ready to take it."

On the witness stand Mortimer is a picture of cold, implacable, cal...culating hate. His voice is low and even. He is unhurried. He is cunning, careful and calm. Only by the glitter of his eyes, and the steady stream of venom that drips from his lips, does he betray the intensity of his hatred for Forbes. On cross-examination he was adroit and tricky, with a gift of quick re...covery. To pin him down was an exasperating task. Like the devil...fish, he could darken the water and escape in the confusion.

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The trial has been one continuous clashing of strong personalities. The issues are weighty, and the men engaged in their determination are men of will and resource. Defense counsel strove valiantly to stem the tide from Mortimer's lips. The ad...mission of the testimony led to fre...quent collisions between counsel and Judge and, more particularly, between the Judge and Randolph Laughlin of St. Louis, Thompson's attorney.

Laughlin has the combative tem...perament. His bristling mustache fairly quivers with antagonism, and his voice rises to a shrill pitch. He makes the very existence of justice hang upon his contentions. He is rhetorical and tense. He is, more...over, exceedingly technical.

Judge Carpenter has been on the Federal bench about 15 years and, unlike many veterans of the ermine, one gathers that he has grown weary of hair-splitting. He is tall and active, his sandy hair is belatedly turning gray, and his features are leathery and weather beaten. Possessing a gift of trench...ant sarcasm, and a biting voice, he is not the type of judge with whom lawyers are prone to take liberties.

He keeps right on top of the proceedings. Pacing behind his chair with long, powerful strides, he pauses occasionally to lean close to the witness, or turning at the end of the bench opposite the jury, he indulges in humorous asides to the press table. His wit is ready and unflagging. He often brushes the lawyers aside and ques...tions the witnesses himself, split...ting to the heart of a tangle with swift penetrating slashes.

His method gives the impression that he is eager to get at the facts with as little quibbling as possible. His gestures are impatient, and his sentences bite like a whip.

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When the case opened, he an...nounced that exceptions would be allowed to every ruling of the court, so that lawyers could save themselves the trouble of noting them in the record as they went along. In other words, if there should be an appeal to a higher court, counsel would have the privilege of charging error against any or all rulings.

Laughlin, however, has made it a point to state his exception dis...tinctly each time he was overruled. It is one way of notifying the Judge and the jury that counsel regards the ruling as unsound. Moreover, Laughlin is prone to argue the point after the court has ruled. His objections frequently are sweeping. He wants entire pages of testimony excluded. He is very emphatic. He seems to make acquiescence in his viewpoint a test of ordinary sanity.

In consequence of all this, he has continually bucked the court and as consistently lost. The climax was when he offered a written motion asking that all Mortimer's testi...mony be excluded, and in it sug...gested that the Judge's rulings had been prejudicial. The patience of the court gave out. He read one offending passage aloud, announced that he would not even permit it to be filed, flung the document on his desk and turned on his heel.

One can see that it annoys the Judge to have attorneys loudly saving exceptions which are auto...matically preserved for them and that he is impatient with those who continue to press him after he has announced his decision. Like all men of human juices, he does not relish having his fairness ques...tioned, and above all, he chafes at what seems unnecessary delay. He resents those little lawyer-like ma...neuvers which aim at influencing the jury outside of the testimony.

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Forbes is perhaps the most in...conspicuous person at the counsel table. At one side of him is the magnificent person of former Sen...ator James Hamilton Lewis, glori...ous in his pink whiskers and the splendor of his apparel. On the other side is the large and soothing bulk of his secondary counsel, El...wood Godman. At the head of the table is that dapper little fox terrier of a man, James Easby-Smith, keen, alert and learned.

The frailty of a long illness rests upon Forbes' face and figure. Once robust and dynamic, he is now rather thin and almost apologetic in demeanor. His tortoise shell glasses are habitually bent over the table, where he is forever taking notes. He rarely displays emotion, although Mortimer managed to sting him perceptibly several times. The fact is that Forbes is a broken man. Not that he admits wrong...doing. Very much to the contrary. But he is silent, and—to those who knew him in the gay care-free days of 1922, when his friend was in the White House—rather pitiful.

One glance at Thompson dis...closes that he is utterly scandalized at the whole porceeding. The very idea that a man of his money and standing can be haled into court under a criminal charge, and forced to defend himself against the de...grading accusation of bribery and fraud is abhorrent to his sense of what is proper in a respectable so...ciety. Thompson is elderly and beefy. His hair is slicked back, and his mustache is closely trim...med. He wears clothes of excel...lent cut. In brief, he is the very picture of a successful business man. To him the whole thing is utterly incredible.

For a portrait of guileless innoc...ence, however, commend us to Special Prosecutor John W. H. Crim, the large, dark-featured man with the soft brown eyes. His manner is inoffensive and appeal...ing. You feel an instant sympathy for Mr. Crim. Everybody and everything is against him. Laugh...lin's fierce assaults and Easby-Smith's whiplash interjections seem to dismay and intimidate him. He is so anxious to be fair and, to avoid hurting anybody's feelings. Poor Mr. Crim!

Alas, so much for what appears to the eye of the beholder. This man Crim is a delusion and a snare, a tiger in lamb's clothing. As Assistant Attorney-General, no man so feared by war profiteers, or so trusted by subordinates. He was the terror of those accused of war frauds. Immune from "influence," adamant against "pull," he gained a unique reputation for courage, honesty and ability at a time when the Department of Justice had fall...en lower in public estimation than at any time in the history of this Government. Eventually he quit in disgust.

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The writer has endeavored to make plain to what a remarkable degree the trial is characterized by the clash and contrast of strong and picturesque personalities. He has tried to suggest something of the dynamic and dominating tem...perament of the Judge, the bitter malevolence of Mortimer, the fu...tile bellicosity of Laughlin, the de...ceptive softness of Crim; to sketch a profile of the silent Forbes, the watchful Easby-Smith, the over...whelmed Thompson, and the ex...quisitely elegant Lewis.

But what scenes are conjured up by the evidence!

What lofty personages are in...volved!

How impossible the whole thing seems in the plain old United States in the year of 1924!

Given dim lights, a flickering fire and a setting of mystery, instead of a green-and-mahogany Federal courtroom, and much of this tes...timony would sound like the bizarre yarn of an imaginative romancer, woven around the unreal and gaudy inhabitants of a state that never existed.

We see an unknown man appear from some remote corner of the South Seas and ascend at a step to one of the highest posts of trust in the nation, entrusted with the care and comfort of the nation's suffering heroes. We see him short...ly involved in the most sordid in...trigues, among incredibly low as...sociates, participating in revels which would be interrupted by the police if they occurred in humbler quarters. We see him charged with selling his high privileges for money in hand.

His defenders declare it all a black conspiracy, hatched in hate by a distorted and malignant mind —the work of a monster. Yet that "monster" tells of taking tea at the White House, of mingling with the mighty men of state, of even the President's benevolent inter...vention in his domestic troubles.

There are tales of a South Amer...ican syndicate, bent upon fabulous riches, and of plans to have the American President use his influ...ence with the visiting President-elect of another country to further those schemes. There are stories of lavish bribes paid to public offi...cials, of poorly paid functionaries living in princely style.

We are told that legislation was lobbied through Congress to fur...nish opportunities for grafters; that Congressmen acted as "go-be...tweens" and money carriers for un...derworld characters; that bids on great public enterprises were juggled; that huge Government stores were to be given away; that $1,000,000 was offered merely for "influence" in the right quarter. We hear of men killing themselves on the eve of exposure. It seems like a monstrous nightmare of for...gotten days in some rotting empire of antiquity, rather than material and competent evidence in a crim...inal prosecution in the Federal Court at Chicago.

Of course, like all other evi...dence, a great deal of it is subject to refutation and explanation; much may be proven false. But the very conditions which made it possible—the fact that it is uttered at all—is passing strange. As a matter of fact, a considerable part of it is not in dispute.

At this stage, the defense has just begun to present its case. Al...

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WOOL SERGE—36-inch Wool Serge, in the wanted colors and navy; $1.00 quality. Monday only... 79c

FIBER DRAPERY—Beautiful luster finish Drapery Cloth in all wanted colors, as rose, blue and gold; regular $1 value; specially priced for Monday only. (Third Floor), yard..... 79c

RUFFLED CURTAINS—Made of good quality scrim, neatly ruffled; average length and width; usually sold at 98c and $1.00; complete with tie-backs; Monday, pair..... 69c

SUNFAST MADRAS—36 inches wide; many pretty designs in all wanted colors; specially priced for Monday only the yard..... 49c

CRETONNE—Up to 36 inches wide; fine quality, in light and medium and dark colors; special Monday, yd... 19c

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XMAS SLIPPERS 1000 pairs women's felt and quilted satin Slippers; padded elk soles; many attractive colors; $1.00 value. Special

OILCLOTH — in beautiful pink, tan and blue borders; full table size 50-in. square. 75c value. Special... 49c

COAT'S BEST THREAD. Three for.... 10c (Basement)

STOCKINGS — Ladies' silk and fiber Hose; panel back; in black and all the wanted colors; 75c value for..... 39c

12-Felted Mattress Neatly tufted throughout, covered fancy art striped ticking; sale price, tomorrow $6.98

$5.00 WOOL-MIXED BLANKETS Thick, warm Blankets, woven from selected wool-mixed yarns, non-shrinkable; block plaids of blue, rose, tan, etc.; 2-inch ribbon binding to match; size is 66x80. Specially priced, tomorrow..... $3.98

9 TO 11 A.M. SPECIALS

Items in this column on sale until 11 a. m. only. Quantities have been restricted. No C. O. D. or mail orders will be accepted.

BED PILLOWS 2½ pounds; 17x25 cover with assorted colors; neat stripe tick; each..... 50c

Window Shades Up to 36 inches wide; guaranteed spring rollers; complete with fittings; each..... 29c

FRINGED Window Shades 36 inches wide, neatly finished with 2-inch fringe; guaranteed rollers..... 59c

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GOWNS Women's cotton flannelette Gowns, pink and blue stripe. (Second Floor)..... 50c

CREPE DE CHINE TEDDY Women's Crepe de Chine Teddy, lace and ribbon trimmed. (Second Floor).. $1.49

ROMPERS New Rompers and Creepers; all colors and combinations, embroidered fronts. (Second Floor)..... 50c

CAPS Hockey Caps, rope stitch, heavy quality, part wool; all colors and combinations. (Second Floor)..... 50c

SHEETS Double-bed size, good quality sheeting, special.. 69c

Cocoa Door Mats 12x21, strongly woven, extra heavy; special 9 to 11 a. m., only..... 50c

Stamped Bedspreads Come in neat patterns, are good quality unbleached muslin, special for... $1.00

Shaving Stands Metal Stand with cup, brush and mirror. Special, 9 to 11..... 69c

35c Box Stationery Fine quality Box Stationery, ribbon tied; white, pink, blue and lavender. 9 to 11 special..... 15c

Men's 'Kerchiefs Plain white hemstitched, seconds of 10c and 15c grades; subject to slight imperfections. Special 9 to 11, at..... 3½c

SATEEN Highly mercerized Sateen; in mill ends. Special at..... 5c

Men's Initial Handkerchiefs Nicely embroidered initial; put up 6 in fancy Christmas box; for..... 58c

WOMEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS—Fine sheer lawn with white and colored embroidered corners; 12½c value; special..... 9c

HEAD AND SHOULDER SCARFS—Made of plain and fancy brocaded cloth; special for Monday, 98c, 69c and..... 50c

COLLAR AND CUFF SETS—Put up in individual holly boxes; values up to $1.50; special for Monday, $1.00 and.... 49c

$1.25 and $1.50 LADIES' HOSE In pure silk and silk and fiber, come in black and desirable colors; lisle tops and feet. Both in first and second qualities. Special..... 69c

$1.00 VELOUR GAUNTLETS—Boys' black velour back Gauntlets special..... 59c

$1.59 KID GLOVES—Ladies' fine schmarachen Kid Gloves in black and colors. Special..... $1.25

$1.60 SILK AND WOOL—For women in silk and wool and wool mixed, heather mixtures, (seconds), special 50c

$1.50 MEN'S GLOVES—Men's dress kid Gloves with fleece lining. Special... $1.00

SEWING BOXES Silk lined; all filled; special, $1.25, 98c, 79c and..... 49c

EMBROIDERED CASES—On good quality casing, embroidered in pink, blue, gold and white. Special..... 35c

BATH TOWELS—Fancy Bath Towels, in pink and blue Terry cloth..... 25c

TABLECLOTHS — Round and square, highly mercerized, neat patterns; special for this sale.. 98c

TABLE SETS—Hemstitched and plain hemmed Sets; cloth and 6 napkins. Special, Set..... $2.98

BASKETS—Beautifully decorated, with tassels and rings; a serviceable Xmas gift; 98c, 79c, 59c, 39c &... 19c

FUR-PANTS COWBOY SUITS

For boys up to 14 years; outfit includes hat, shirt, pants (with heavy fur front), belt, rope, bandanna handkerchief, gun and holster; $6.00 value..... $3.98

INDIAN SUITS—Heavy khaki feather bonnet..... $1.00

CHINCHILLA OVERCOATS: for boys; well made and neatly trimmed; heavily lined; regular $5.00 Coats, Monday.. $3.98

OVERCOATS: for boys up to 12 years; double-breasted, plain or yoke backs; plain or plaid fabrics; gray, tan or heather mixture; $8.00 value Special... $5.98

Child's Bow-Back Chairs; painted red; at.. $1.19

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SWEATER SETS All-wool, fancy knit Sweater Sets, consisting of sweater, leggings and cap; colors white, blue and buff. (Second Floor)..... $3.98

DRESSES Girls' new pencil stripe cotton serge Dresses, in navy and brown; finished with neat red ties; sizes 6 to 14. (Second Floor)..... $1.98

MIDDIES New Middies of excellent quality drill, large sailor collars and cuffs of red and blue; braid trimmed; all sizes; $1.50 value. (2d Fl.).. 69c

$7.50 DOLL BUGGY—Large Size... $4.98

$4 Mama Dolls—Moving eyes, wig; prettily dressed, large size, at $2.98

Mama Doll—Moving eyes, 19-in. tall $1.00

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$4.50 Wood Wagon; large wood wheels $2.98

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Toy Pianos—Shoeshut; Monday $1.98, $1.40 and... 98c

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Roller Skates—Champion $1.98

Ball bearing $1.98

$12 BRIDGE LAMPS, $7.98

$30 Floor Lamps beautiful Georgette shades with gold bullion fringe, polychrome base. $21.96

$5.00 Dinner Set, pretty decoration, 24-pc. special for..... $3.98

$3.50 Chocolate Sets—Fine imported china, 12 piece; at 9 o'clock... $1.25

$2.00 Silver Plated Child's Set—Knife, fork, spoon, mug and napkin ring..... $1.49

60c Rodgers Silver Plated Baby Feeding Spoon 39c

Baby Feeding Plates—Fancy nursery pictures; Monday..... 35c

$3 Cake Set—Beautiful hand painted, imported china, 7-pc. set... $1.98

$7,500,000 BOND ISSUE SOUGHT FOR COUNTY

Petitions for Calling Special Election Now Being Signed by Supporters.

Petitions requesting the St. Louis County Court to order a special election at which county residents could vote on a proposed bond issue of $7,500,000 for public improvements, are being circulated by authority of the League of Municipalities, whose membership is composed of Mayors of incorporated cities in the county.

Items in the proposed bond issue are:

For new, hard roads, $5,000,000.

For new courthouse, $1,500,000.

For county hospital, $1,000,000.

Some of the municipalities whose Mayors are sponsoring the petitions are: Clayton, University City, Webster Groves, Kirkwood, Ferguson, Florissant and Richmond Heights. Mayor Warren C. Flynn of University City is president of the league.

Judge Favors Move.

Presiding Judge Smiley of the County Court is a supporter of the proposed bond issue. He understands sufficient signatures on the petitions will be obtained within a week. The County Court is required by law to call a special election within 40 days of receiving the required number of signatures. For the road bond item 200 signatures are needed, and for the other two items, 100 each. Two-thirds of all votes cast at the election are necessary to approve the bond issue.

Judge Smiley told a Post-Dispatch reporter that, in his opinion, all three suggested improvements are needed, with the good roads item most urgent. He said a $3,000,000 road bond issue voted in 1919 proved merely "a drop in the bucket," and paid for only 75 miles of road.

300 Miles More Needed.

There remain 300 miles that should be improved and, while the proposed $5,000,000 would not be sufficient to construct that much, it would be a step in the right direction, he added.

A county hospital would be an economy to county taxpayers, he continued, as the county now pays the City of St. Louis about $100,000 annually for county residents who are treated at the city hospital, infirmary and sanitarium. He said he and others favor a site as far from the city as practical and that enough acreage be purchased to provide for a county farm as well as a hospital.

The inadequacy of the present county courthouse at Clayton is obvious, according to Judge Smiley, who said the structure was built in 1879, and had a south wing added in 1912. The new courthouse would be built on the same site.

FEDERAL SUBSIDIES TO STATES COST $145,000,000 A YEAR

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dollar for dollar. No state is compelled to co-operate under any of the acts, though it is well know that state Legislatures are often put under great pressure to accept the offered subsidies.

The principle of Federal aid to the states was attacked on constitutional grounds in two suits brought from Massachusetts before the United States Supreme Court to test the validity of the maternity act. Both suits were dismissed by the Court for want of jurisdiction. The question presented was declared by Justice Sutherland, who delivered the opinion of the Court, to be political rather than judicial.

In view of this decision, it appears that the only method of attack left to the opponents of the subsidy system is an educational campaign against the enactment of further Federal aid laws and for repeal of existing laws, in addition to a campaign in the several states against the acceptance of the proffered aid.

MORTIMER THE PERSONIFICATION OF HATRED AND REVENGE

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ready it is battering heavily at the structure which Mortimer reared. Before the assault ends, that structure may be demolished. Its real strength lies in the documents with which the Government reinforced it. Perhaps they can be explained away. This certainly is no time for pronouncing judgments.

Meantime the show proceeds apace. The concrete mixer lumbers heavily in the agile footsteps of the cocktail shaker. The calendar hurls the lie in the teeth of the multiplication table. Judge Carpenter raises a silencing hand, and with elaborate politeness asks: "What it is NOW, Mr. Laughlin?" J. Ham Lewis delicately brushes the tips of his pink whiskers with a silk handkerchief, and Forbes fills another pad with notes. Foundations, evening suits, craps games, the Guttheil, $500 bills, secret codes, hospital sites, the Colombian syndicate and cost plus follow in parade, like creatures of a disordered imagination or denizens of a new wonderland stranger than Alice's.

And all oblivious of the fact that in the human jungle outside, which Chicagoans call the loop, the toy venders are barking, and the maddened Christmas shoppers are fighting their desperate way into the stores and along the swarming sloppy sidewalks.

Forty-One to Be Graduated.

Forty-one students will be graduated from the Alton High School Jan. 22. They have invited Dr. Edgar James Swift of Washington University to address them at the commencement. Miss Inez Foster, 2515 State street, Alton, was the valedictorian.

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10-yard bolts of dainty white Longcloth for... $1.19
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Special Clean-Up Sale Monday at $1.95
$1.95
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MEN'S HIGH-GRADE XMAS SLIPPERS
Chocolate or black kid leather Romeo or Everett styles with hand-turn, stitchdown or McKay sewed soles; all perfect; sizes 6 to 11... $2.69 and $1.98
Women's $1.50 and $2 Felt Slippers
Big variety of colors; Juliets, fur or ribbon trimmed, at $1.49; also Everetts, ribbon or painted trimming, padded elk soles and heels; sizes 3 to 8... $1.49 and 89c
GIRLS' $3.00, $3.50 AND $4.00 HIGH SHOES
School and dress styles; two-tone combinations, tan, black or smoked gray leather; most are St. Louis brands; $2.95 and $1.98
$1.69 Auto Gloves
An express shipment of these in time; black leather Gloves with warm flannel and deep wristlet cuffs; to be sold at $1
$2.00 Adler's Gloves
Women's fine chamois-lined Gauntlets, attractively embroidered, cuffs in many designs; shades are mode, beaver, tan, etc. Genuine $2 Adler's Gloves... $1
$5.00 MEN'S GLOVES
Fine capeskin Gloves with adjustable strap wrist and real lamb's-wool fleece linings; black or brown; at a pair... $2.50
$1.00 BOY SCOUTS
All-leather Gloves with warm flannel linings and leatherette "Boy Scout" cuffs... 69c
Real Holiday COAT Bargains!
We have just received a job of women's high-grade Winter Coats. Many of these Coats are worth as high as $35.00. Monday we will sell them all in one great lot at $17.79
Actual $35.00 Value.
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"Christmas Jingles" Word Roll. $1.25
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A large lot of 88-note Music Rolls slightly used for demonstrating, each... 10c
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$1.00 "ICY-HOT" VACUUM BOTTLES—Pint size; genuine "Icy-Hot"... 69c
$1.50 BAGS—Large, square, overnight or utility Bags with leather straps... $1.00
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$3.00 VALUE
200 pairs gray cotton fleeced Blankets, size 60x76; good weight (limit 2 pairs to a customer); on sale Monday, pair... $1.69
$4.00 Blankets
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Men's $6 to $8 Silk Shirts
FOR XMAS GIFTS
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Men's 98c Boxed Xmas Ties
Art silk knitted Ties. In a large assortment of colors and patterns; put up in fancy Xmas boxes. Special Monday. 49c
WOMEN'S $1.00 SILK HOSE
Pure silk and fiber twist; mercerized lisle tops; black and colors; all perfect; sizes 8½ to 10. Special... 69c
Men's $1.25 Silk Hose
A durable thread Silk Hose of sheer quality; reinforced heel and toe; black colors; sizes 9½ to 12. Special... 79c
Men's 29c Lisle Hose
In colors brown, black, navy, gray, Palm Beach and white; all perfect; all sizes. Special, 5 pairs for $1.00, or, pair... 25c
Ladies' $2.00 Pure Silk Hose
Heavy quality, knitted of fine gauge spring needle, full fashion, with narrow lisle tops; assorted colors; sizes 8½ to 10. Special... $1.49
Boys' Overcoats and Suits
To reduce stock before Christmas we offer the following wonderful bargains.
$6.50 Boys' 2-Pant Suites $4.98
In heavy wool mixtures, latest style coats. Ages up to 17 years...
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$10 Horsman Dolls... $5.98
$6.00 Walking and Talking Dolls; at... $2.95
$4.00 Oak Leatherette Seat Rockers... $1.98
$2.00 Genuine Leather Rugby Football... $1.00
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$5.00 Rubber-tired Velocipede... $3.98
$7.00 Mechanical Train on Track, Iron Engine... $1.25
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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1921.

CARNIVAL WATCHMAN CLEARED ON MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE

Howard Burke, 18, Found Not Guilty in Case Growing Out of Shooting Negro Boy.

Howard Burke, 18 years old, of 2015 South Third street, was acquitted by a jury in Judge Ittner's division of the Circuit Court Friday of the charge of manslaughter growing out of the shooting of Akerson Wiley, 12 years old, a negro boy of 828 South Twenty-second street, last June 24.

Burke, a watchman for the Martin & Joffe Carnival Co., became involved in a quarrel with boys who, it was alleged, were annoying the show people. Several times, Burke testified, he had chased the Wiley boy f... Twenty-thir... He declared... boy entered... a flap afte... to stay aw... the shootin... with an op... other boys... from behin...

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Large Grab Bucket Crane; a real bargain; $2 value, 98c
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Regular $...00 Drum... $1.00
Regular $1.50 Airplane... 89c
Regular $1.25 Garage and Autos... 69c
Regular $1.50 Circus Wagon... 98c
Regular $2.50 Stable and Horses... $1.79
Regular $2.00 Harmonica... 98c
Regular $3.00 Fire Engine... $1.98
Regular $4.00 Packard Truck... $2.79
$5.00 Picture Machine... $3.98
$3.00 Basket Ball... $1.98
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This Lovely $26 Floor Lamp, $17
FLOOR LAMPS $21 Lamps, $13.9... $27 Lamps, $16.9... $32 Lamps, $21.5... $45 Lamps, $32.50
BRIDGE LAMPS $15 Bridge Lamps $9.95 $20 Bridge Lamps $13.50 $25 Bridge Lamps $17.95 $30 Bridge Lamps $21.75
This $50 Walnut ... head. Monday s...
CEDAR CHESTS $1 ... Pad...
$17.00 Chest...
$21.00 Chest...
$30.00 Walnut Che...
$38.00 Walnut Che...
$3.50 Fish Aquaria... less floor stand... for Monday...
OPEN SUNDAY FOR THE CONVENIEN... GET THEIR PACKAGES FROM...
LAUE...
LAUER'S—825 N...

Forty-One to Be Graduated.

Forty-one students will be graduated from the Alton High School on Jan. 22. They have invited Dr. Edgar James Swift of Washington University to address them at their commencement. Miss Inez Feesler, 2515 State street, Alton, was named valedictorian.

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$1.59 Bath Sets
Splendid for Xmas gifts; brocaded plaid patterns Bath Towels or Jacquard patterns, with two washcloths woven to match; put up in gift box for.. $1
$1.69 LONGCLOTH
10-yard bolts of dainty white Longcloth for.... $1.19

$1.69 Auto Gloves
An express shipment of these just in time; black, heavy all-leather Gloves with warm fleeced linings and deep, wind-proof leatherette cuffs; to be sold Monday at $1
$2.00 Adler's Gloves
Women's fine chamois-suede fabric Gauntlets, attractively embroidered, cuffs in many designs; shades are mode, beaver, tan, etc. Genuine $2 Adler's Gloves.... $1
$5.00 MEN'S GLOVES
Fine capeskin Gloves with adjustable strap wrist and real lamb's-wool fleece linings; black or brown; fit a pair..... $3.50
$1.00 BOY SCOUTS
All-leather Gloves with warm fleeced linings and leatherette "Boy Scout" cuffs..... 69c

KER STANDS
e cut; mahogany finish, antial wood stand with y glass ash tray and e shelf as shown.... $1.39
Men's Initial Hdkfs.
up in attractive boxes; ly all letters; embroidered fine white cambric dkerchiefs, a gift box for..... 50c
50 CUSHIONS—Large, round couch ions of velour and tapestry; $1.39
50 PENCIL BOXES—With 3 full standard Pencils, for..... 5c
24-inch, indestructible ng clasp..... 47c
T" VACUUM BOTTLES— ne "Icy-Hot"..... 69c
Large, square, overnight or h leather straps..... $1.00
BAGS—Handsome, new $1.98
Imported Bamboo Baskets
Big shipment of these popular fancy Baskets with silk tassels, beads, rings and coins at 97c, 79c, 59c, 39c and 19c

$6 to $8 Silk Shirts
XMAS GIFTS
$4.98
& SILK HOSE 69c
Ladies' $2.00 Pure Silk Hose
Heavy quality, knitted on fine gauge spring needles, full fashion, with mercerized Lisle tops; assorted colors; sizes 8½ to 10. Special..... $1.49

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hinchilla Coats, some some single breated, closing out at a also several bread with fur collars that atly reduced.
to $4.98
Prim Aprons
a Polly Prim Apron a gift that is use- your friends will ap- k cotton sateen bound very pretty cretonne, lack cotton sateen.
and 75c
en's Hats and Bonnets
At ½ Price
infant and the older child; crepes, felts, hifted in all styles and shapes.
Pink nainsook Gowns, ribbon and lace trimmed, low neck and short sleeves; at..... $1
ette Step-Ins $1.25
pink; at.....

59c SATINETTES
Big shipment of these popular, much wanted, lustrous, mercerized cotton Satinettes for Princess slips, bloomers, petticoats, linings, etc., in a multitude of colors; good mill remnants; yard..... 29c
$1.00 Broadcloth SHIRTINGS
Very fine mercerized Broadcloth Shirtings in neat, colored stripe effects; also many neat patterns in Rayon stripe and all-over patterns; for boys' waists and men's shirts; $1.00 value at..... 69c
$1.95 CHARMEUSE
36-inch, lustrous, black, all-silk satin Charmeuse; a splendid, rich silk for dresses and blouses; black, brown and navy. Extra special Monday, at, a yard..... $1.39

CARNIVAL WATCHMAN CLEARED ON MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE

Howard Burke, 18, Found Not Guilty in Case Growing Out of Shooting Negro Boy.

Howard Burke, 18 years old, of 3915 South Third street, was acquitted by a jury in Judge Ittner's division of the Circuit Court Friday of the charge of manslaughter growing out of the shooting of Akerson Wiley, 12 years old, a negro boy of 828 South Twenty-second street, last June 24.

Burke, a watchman for the Martin & Joffe Carnival Co., became involved in a quarrel with boys who, it was alleged, were annoying the show people. Several times, Burke testified, he had chased the Wiley boy from the carnival lot at Twenty-third and Adams streets. He declared on the stand that the boy entered the show tent through a flap after repeated admonitions to stay away, and at the time of the shooting was approaching him with an open knife, while three other boys jumped on his back from behind.

French Government Expenses.

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, Dec. 20.—A list of additional expenditures, amounting to 2,211,000,000 francs over the original French budget estimates, was distributed to members of the Chamber of Deputies today by the Government. This additional estimate brings the total expenses of the Government for 1925 to more than 35,000,000,000 francs.

FOLLOW THE THRONG TO LAUER'S GIGANTIC
CLEAN-UP TOY SALE
EVERYTHING MARKED DOWN 25% TO 50%
ENTIRE STOCK SACRIFICED
COME MONDAY FOR
BIG TOY BARGAINS
OPEN UNTIL 9 P. M. EVERY NIGHT TILL XMAS

25% to 35% Off on American Flyer and Lionel ELECTRIC TRAINS

$7.00 regular American Flyer Outfit, sacrificed for..... $4.98
$9.00 regular American Flyer Outfit, sacrificed for..... $6.95
$13.75 regular American Flyer Outfit, sacrificed for..... $9.95
$16.50 regular Lionel Wide Track Outfit, sacrificed for..... $12.98
$21.50 regular Lionel Wide Track Outfit, sacrificed for..... $15.98
$25.00 regular Lionel Wide Track Outfit, sacrificed for..... $19.95
$33.00 regular Lionel Wide Track Outfit, sacrificed for..... $26.50
$44.50 regular Lionel Wide Track Outfit, sacrificed for..... $34.95
$62.50 regular Lionel Wide Track Outfit, sacrificed for..... $49.50

BIG SAVINGS ON AMERICAN FLYER MECHANICAL TRAINS
$2.25 Train and Track No. 0..... $1.39
$2.75 Train and Track No. 1..... $1.69
$4.00 Train and Figure 8 Track No. 5..... $2.49
$5.00 Train and Track with 2 Switches No. 13..... $2.98

A Delayed Shipment at Less Than Cost in This Tremendous Sacrifice of
MAMA DOLLS
They Walk! They Talk!
$1.50 regular Mama Dolls, for this sale..... 89c
$3.00 regular Mama Dolls, for this sale..... $1.49
$4.00 regular Mama Dolls, for this sale..... $1.98
$5.00 regular Mama Dolls, for this sale..... $2.49
$6.00 regular Mama Dolls, for this sale..... $3.25
$10.00 Effanbee Mama Dolls, for this sale..... $5.49
$17.50 Effanbee Mama Dolls, for this sale..... $11.95
$7.50 IMPORTED JOINTED DOLLS
30 inches tall, moving eyes, eyelashes, curled wig. Get one Monday for only..... $1.98

Tinker Toys 75c value 49c
COASTER WAGON $8.50 Coaster Wagon.. $4.95
16x36-inch body; 10-inch double disc wheels, balloon tires, strongly made with steel under-gear.
All Autos greatly reduced.
$8 Autos, $5.45
$15 Autos $11.95
$21 Autos $16.45
$35 Autos $25.95
DESK AND CHAIR
$9 Sets..... $6.95
$11 Sets..... $8.95
$14 Sets..... $11.95
$35 Sets..... $27.95
ERECTOR SETS
$1.00 Sets 89c
$3.00 Sets $2.39
$5.00 Sets $3.79
$7.95
DOLL CARTS
$4 Cart, $2.98
$12 Cart, $8.95
$18 Cart, $12.95
Velocipedes
$4 Bike... $2.98
$11 Bike... $8.95
$17 Bike... $12.95
Ball bearing throughout, spring seat, heavy rubber tires.
CHILD'S ROCKER
Overstuffed Spanish chase leather. $11.00 value... $6.95
Large Grab Bucket Coal Scoop; a real bargain; $2 value. 98c
Xmas Trees (Artificial)
$8 tree, $4.98
$10 tree, $6.95
$16 tree, $10.95
Tool Chests
$3 value $1.79
$4 value $2.49
$5 value $3.98
TOY PIANOS
$1.00 Pianos.. 79c
$1.95 Pianos. $1.39
$4.00 Pianos. $2.79
$5.00 Pianos. $3.49
HOBBY HORSES
$12 Horse $9.95
$15 Horse $12.45
$18 Horse $14.95
Sewing Machine, $1 A big $2 value.
CEDAR CHESTS
$4.00 Chests, $2.49
$4.50 Chests, $2.98
$5.00 Chests, $3.49
$2 Roller Skates $1.29
Ball-bearing—for boys and girls.

Suggestions for Boys
Regular $1.00 Drum..... $1.00
Regular $1.50 Airplane..... 89c
Regular $1.25 Garage and Autos.. 69c
Regular $1.50 Circus Wagon..... 98c
Regular $2.50 Stable and Horses.. $1.29
Regular $2.00 Harmonica..... 98c
Regular $3.00 Fire Engine..... $3.98
Regular $4.00 Packard Truck..... $2.79
$5.00 Picture Machine..... $3.98
$3.00 Basket Ball..... $1.98
$2.50 Rugby Football..... $1.49
$3.00 Scooter..... $1.79
$4.00 Scooter..... $2.49
$4.00 Tot Bike..... $2.98
$9.00 Hand Car..... $6.98
Suggestions for Girls
$15.00 Kitchen Cabinet..... $11.95
$15.00 Chifforobe..... $11.95
85c Pantry Set..... 59c
$1.25 Teddy Muffs..... 69c
$1.00 Aluminum Dishes..... 59c
$1.50 Piano..... $1.00
$1.50 Kitchen Cabinet..... $1.00
$7.00 Doll House..... $4.98
$15.00 Piano..... $11.90
$2.00 complete Tiddledy Winks.. $1.39
$4.00 China Dishes..... $2.79
$5.00 China Dishes..... $3.25
$1.75 Trunk..... $1.00
$4.00 Wardrobe Trunk..... $2.98
$2.50 Percolator Set..... $1.19

SAVE 25%—AND IN THIS SALE OF LAMPS AND SMOKERS
Look over our selection before buying. The assortment is large and at prices that cannot be duplicated elsewhere.
This Lovely $30 Floor Lamp, $17
FLOOR LAMPS
$21 Lamps, $13.9
$27 Lamps, $18.9
$32 Lamps, $24.5
$45 Lamps, $32.50
BRIDGE LAMPS
$15 Bridge Lamps, $9.95
$20 Bridge Lamps $13.50
$25 Bridge Lamps $17.95
$30 Bridge Lamps $21.75
This $50 Walnut Cedar Chest. Monday special..... $32
CEDAR CHESTS $1 Per Week Pays for It.
$17.00 Chest..... $12.95
$21.00 Chest..... $15.95
$30.00 Walnut Chest..... $21.50
$38.00 Walnut Chest..... $28.75
$3.50 Fish Aquarium and wrought iron floor stand. Special for Monday..... $1.29
$6.50 Sewing Cabinet; mahogany finish, with tray..... $3.89
OPEN SUNDAY FOR THE CONVENIENCE OF THOSE WISHING TO GET THEIR PACKAGES FROM THE WILL CALL.
LAUER'S
LAUER'S—825 North 6th St.

Only 3 More Shopping Days Left!

JUDGE AND DOLPH'S
6100 Easton
New Store in Wellston
7th AND LOCUST
514 WASHINGTON
DRUG STORES
515 OLIVE
DE BOLIVAR AND KINGSBURY
All 5 Stores Open Every Night and All Day Sunday

Take Advantage of These Prices!

TOYS AND DOLLS AT A SACRIFICE!
We do not wish to carry our stock of Toys and Dolls over, so have cut them to cost! Buy now!

Mama Doll—as Illustrated on Right
Composition head, arms and well shaped legs—natural hair, stuffed body; dressed in organdie, dress trimmed with lace, underclothing, black stockings and patent leather shoes, organdie bonnet trimmed with lace; 24 inches high. Regular $5.00 values..... $2.89

Mama Doll—Not Illustrated
Composition head, arms and legs, stuffed body, patent leather shoes and stockings. Dressed in printed gingham dress; white collar, rompers, white bonnet trimmed in blue; 19 inches high. Regular $3.50 value. $1.89

Mama Doll
As Illustrated on Left
Composition head and arms stuffed body and legs. Dressed in colored cotton rompers and bonnet to match; shoes and stockings; 14½ inches high. Regular $1 value..... 59c

Ford Cars Reduced
Finely made, exact replica of a Ford car, with baked enamel finish and strong spring. An unusual value at.... 49c

$2.00 TOY AEROPLANES.. 98c
Toy Aeroplane
Model of latest type monoplane; length 17 inches, width 17½ inches; height 5 inches. Finished in yellow, trimmed with red propeller, red plane and red rudder. Equipped with famous Gyro motor. Regular $2.00 value.

Gyro Friction Motor Toys, 1924 Models Priced Very Low

Toy Racing Car
Designed from some of the fastest cars ever driven over the speedways. Length 10 inches, width 2½ inches, height 3½ inches. Equipped with famous Gyro motor. Regular $1.00 value, at..... 49c

2-Ton Truck, as Illustrated
Length 14 inches, width 6 inches, height 6 inches; equipped with disc wheels, rubber tires and bumper; dark blue finish; regular $2.00 value..... $1.49

5-Ton Truck, as Illustrated
Length 29 inches, width 8 inches, height 8 inches; equipped with disc wheels, rubber tires and bumper; regular value..... $2.69

Coupe, as Illustrated
Length 13½ inches, width 4¼ inches, height 6¼ inches; disc wheels, rubber tires and bumper; light blue finish; regular $2.00 value..... $1.49

Imported French Toys
We have just received an assortment of these fine mechanical Toys, with the cleverest action you have ever seen. BOY EXPRESS, as illustrated, boy pushes express.
DANCING BEAR; actually dances; toys for smaller kiddies; choice of any of these Toys, at..... 98c
Q T-No Scooters $1.98
A wonderful toy for boys and girls, between the ages of 6 and 10; has 8-inch disc wheels, ⅝-inch rubber tires, 35 inches length over all, 33 inches high, plain bearing wheels, Royal blue frame, baked enamel, bright red wheels, orange footboard, enameled handle. A regular $3.00 value..... $1.98

Every Boy Wants a Watch!
Get Your Boy One for Christmas!
We have just received a line of inexpensive but durable Watches for men and boys, and are sure your little chap would be immensely pleased with the gift of one.
New Haven Watch, nickel case, plain dial, regular $1.75 value..... 98c
New Haven Watch, nickel case, radium dial, regular $2.75 value..... $1.89
These Watches are guaranteed by the maker.

Electrical Gifts Are Practical Gifts
Star-Rite Waffle Iron
Operates on either alternating or direct current. Attached handle, which is self-balancing, makes it easy to carry this Iron from place to place. Has start and stop switch and comes complete with cord and plug. Regular price $9. Sale price..... $6.98
Star-Rite Electric Heater
Champion Chill Chaser
Guaranteed Regular $7.50 Value..... $5.98
All-copper 14-inch Reflector, 17 inches high and comes complete with cord and plug. Removable nichrome element.
$5 Star-Rite TOASTER
Nickel finished, reversible type, complete with cord and plug, $3.98

Judge and Dolph's
Christmas Special
Genuine "U-BAT-IT" Baseball Game—hits, runs, strikes, everything. Real baseball. Kiddies and grown-ups equally thrilled. Demonstration. Seventh street window, SEVENTH AND LOCUST STREET STORE. Special..... $1.98

CANDY
Here is an unusual value. A finely made, brass-bound Cedar Chest containing one pound of delicious chocolates. Chest is 10 inches long, 4 inches deep and will be splendid as a jewel or 'kerchief box. Special at..... $1.98
Gift Package of Chocolates with rich creamy centers; 2½ Lbs. Reg. $2.00, at..... $1.19
Holly Gift Package of Chocolates, 4¾ Lbs. net. Reg. $3.50 value..... $1.98

Xmas Tree Lighting Outfit
8-Light Set, genuine Mazda globes, assorted colors with cord and plug with add on feature..... $1.49

BELT OUTFITS
$1.00
Greatest Value Ever Put on Sale
A gift that is popular, serviceable and lasting; two-tone Silver Buckle and Belt Chain with your initials. Genuine Cowhide Leather Belt.
$3.50 Value, Complete Set. $1.00
Xmas Boxes 15c Extra
514 Washington Store Only

Big Ben or Baby Ben Alarm Clocks
Plain Dial
Regular $3.25 Values
Monday Only $2.48

Charming Gifts for Her Personal Use
Every woman of refinement knows that the secret of the alluring charm of delicate fragrance is the use of but one odor throughout the toilette.
Roger & Gallet's
Fleur d'Amour
Combination Set, $10.00
Mavis
Combination Sets $2.00 to $5.00
Mavis Manicure Sets, $2.00
Karess
Six-piece Combination Compact, Face Powder, Lip Rouge, Toilet Water, Sachet and Talcum, $13.00.
Karess Combinations $5.50 to $17.00
Fiancee Combination Sets $4.50 to $12.00
Three Flowers
Five-piece combination: Toilet water, talcum, face powder, twin compact, perfume..... $7.50
Richard Hudnut's
Jasmine Combination Sets $5.00
Three-Flower Combination Sets, $2.50 to $7.50
Violet Sec Combination Sets, $1.75 and $3.00
Rose of Omar Combination $3.25
Tenfold Lily of the Valley Combination, $3.25
Gardenia Combination Sets $2.25 and $3.50
Narcisse Combination Sets $5.00
Plaza Combination Sets $8.50 and $12.50
Narcisse de Chine
4-piece Combination: Toilet Water, Face Powder, Compact and Perfume $7.00
Coty's
L'Origan Combination $13.50
Djerkiss
Combination Sets, $3.00 to $7.50
Bob Sets
Consisting of 2 Brushes and Comb in Case, $5.00
Nymfaun Gift Sets
These popular Sets are the last word in refined toilet creations. To give them expresses good taste and their use will bring appreciative thoughts long after Christmas
$4.00 to $7.50
Mennen's
Combination Gift Boxes for Men, 98c
Guerlain's
Perfumes, $5.00 and $10.00
Houbigant's
Fougera Royal Men's Combination Sets, $3.50
Quelques Fleur and Ideal Combination, $10 and $12.50
Cutex Manicure Sets, 53c to $2.59
De Vilbiss Perfumizers or Perfume Lights
We are showing a lovely assortment of Perfumizers and Perfume Lights, the latter being a delightful combination of night light and perfume burner.
De Vilbiss Perfumizers, $1 to $10
Perfume Lights.....$8 and $10
Stop and See Them at Your Earliest Opportunity

PATENT MEDICINES
$1.00 Adlerika..... 83c
$1.00 Nujol..... 83c
30c Bromo Quinine..... 21c
Nature's Remedy....21c, 42c, 79c
Sal Hepatica..... 79c
$1.00 Squibb's California Oil.. 79c
Bromo Seltzer.....23c, 45c, 89c
Bayer's Aspirin Tablets, 100.. 93c
$1.00 Lysol..... 89c
60c California Syrup of Figs.. 42c
$1.00 Danderine..... 85c
$1.10 Nuxated Iron..... 79c
$1.00 Glyco-Thymoline..... 89c
Piso's Cough Remedy....27c, 53c
Father John's Medicine..47c, 93c
Wampole's Cod Liver Extract 79c
$1.50 Fellow's Syrup of Hypophosphites..... $1.29

J. & D. SPECIAL
Regular $1.00
Lavoris
Large Size
Monday Only—
63c

TOILET ARTICLES
$1.00 Krank's Lemon Cream..79c
50c Pepsodent Tooth Paste...37c
$1.25 Mavis Toilet Water.....79c
50c Carmen Face Powder.....29c
$1.00 La Blache Face Powder, 79c
50c Hind's Honey and Almond Cream, 39c
$1 Golden Peacock Bleach Cream...79c
60c Pompeian Day Cream....44c
Pompeian Night Cream..44c, 79c
Chex Soap.....21c; 2 for 40c
50c Princess Pat Rouge.....36c
25c Benbow Cream.....17c
60c Forhan's Tooth Paste.....49c
25c Listerine Tooth Paste.....21c
Jap Rose Soap.....3 bars 21c
35c Palmolive Shaving Cream, 21c
85c Daggett & Ramsdell's Cold Cream..... 69c

J. & D. SPECIAL
$1.25
Creomulsion
Monday Only—
89c

Taffeta Pillows

Special, Each $2.69

¶ Attractive round or oval Pillows covered with crisp taffeta in plain or changeable effect—trimmed with silk flowers.

Fourth Floor

St. Louis' Dominant Christmas Store

FAMOUS-BARR CO.

We Give Eagle Stamps and Redeem Full Books for $2.00 in Cash or $2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles Excepted

See Our Other Announcements on Pages 7, 8 and 9

Greeting Cards

25 With Envelopes .. $2.75

¶ Place your order for these distinctive Cards on Monday, and we will have them ready for you within 36 hours. With your name, monogram and Christmas wishes.

Main Floor—Main Aisle

Christmas Cards

In Varied Assortments

¶ Cards to convey a cheery greeting your friends on Christmas morn may chosen quickly from our assortme which includes many kinds—from g ones to the most formal

Main Flo

Famous-Barr Co.'s

Gift Certificates

Are Dominant in Their Purchasing Power

¶ Every day brings a keener appreciation of our Gift Certificates—so convenient for the giver and so pleasing to the recipient. To old and young they will be acceptable, for very tactfully do they convey to your friends the privilege of choosing their own gifts—and since our values are dominant and our stocks are unsurpassed, the Gift Certificates of this dominant Christmas store will be redeemed with the most pleasure.

For employers, hurried business men and all others, our Gift Certificates should solve the gift problem—issued for any amount at any Exchange Desk.

For Christmas Giving!—Beautiful

Floor Lamps

Priced Complete at

$35.00

¶ Bridge and Junior Lamps with graceful metal and wood uprights. The silk shades are hand-pleated and ornamented with tinsel, laces, braids, galloons and fringes. Bases piped and weighted.

Beautiful Junior Lamps

Hand tailored over newest style frames, the gorgeous silk shades are quite distinctive. The uprights are hand carved—and exceedingly graceful. Complete at.. $42.50

Glass Lamps

Priced at..... $8.95

Cathedral glass panel shades, set in curiously wrought frames, are mounted on highly decorated bases. In green, brown, bronze and polychrome.

Fifth Floor

It Will Be a Delight to Make Christmas Choice From Our Many Handsome

Fur Coats and Jacquettes

—Ultra-Correct and Splendid Values at

$115 to $850

¶ The real worth of a fur garment depends upon many factors—and all these we have given unusual consideration in assembling our marvelous assortments. You will appreciate this, too, when you see the excellent pelts, the authentic modes and superior details of workmanship in these garments—making them, without doubt, St. Louis' dominant fur values.

Squirrel, silver and natural muskrat, caracul, mole, baby leopard (leopard cat) Hudson seal (dyed muskrat), Jap weasel and marmot are but a few of the many fashionable pelts represented.

Fur Chokers for Gifts

—afford choice of all single and double skin styles approved for the season—of stone and baum marten, Hudson Bay and Russian sable, mink and various shades of fox—an assortment that assures satisfactory selections. Price range from..... $25 to $275

Fourth Floor

For Gifts!—New Imported China

$65 Dinner Sets

Special at $37.50

¶ Each of these 100-piece Sets includes bread-and-butter plates and fast stand sauce boat. The decorations are dignified gold bands—accentuated by coin gold handles.

Other 100-Piece Dinner Sets

$295 Dinner Sets	$169
$250 Dinner Sets	$149
$150 Dinner Sets	$79
$100 Dinner Sets	$75
$89 Dinner Sets	$59
$85 Dinner Sets	$49
$55 Dinner Sets	$35
$44 Dinner Sets	$30
$40 Dinner Sets	$25
$35 Dinner Sets	$18.95

Fifth Floor

$18 Salad Plates

Priced Special, $10.95

Glass Salad Plates in various soft colors, hand-cut in English rock crystal designs.

A Gift Group of Sheer, Cheery, New

Fringed Curtains

Special, the Pair $5

¶ Rich ecru casement Curtains of lustrous artificial silk—offering four unusual patterns. Finished at the bottom with deep fringe, they are extremely decorative.

Ruffled Curtains

Special, the Pair.. $2.50

Dainty marquisette Curtains, with full ruffles and tie-backs to match. For nursery or bedroom.

Casement Curtains

Special, the Pair.. $7.50

Net Curtains in shadow weaves, finished with deep bullion fringe. They are in a charming ecru tint.

Fifth Floor

"Eat and Be Merry" This Yuletide With Our Wholesome

Christmas Goodies

Sweetmeats Packed in Gift Boxes and Baskets—Order Now

Assorted Sweets
2 Lbs. For.. $2

Round tin boxes filled with our Par Excellent and milk chocolates mixed with crystallized fruits.

Milk Chocolates
Special, 2 Lbs... $1

Many kinds of centers, coated with wholesome milk chocolate, and packed in attractive holiday boxes.

Gift Special

2 Lbs. For.... $2.50

A "Christmasy" red box packed with an assortment including our $1 Par Excellent, 80c milk chocolates and other delicious and favored kinds.

Fruits and Nuts
$1.25 to $17.50

Artistic baskets and fancy boxes brimming with the finest and selected nuts and fruits—very choice assortments for gifts. Beautifully packed and decorated.

Our Fruit Cake

—is moist and rich with nuts and fruits and has the old-fashioned flavor; baked to a turn by our expert cooks; the lb.... 75c

Milk Chocolates
Pound For.. 80c

Nuts, fruits, hard centers, caramels, nougats and other kinds coated with the richest and smoothest of milk chocolates. A popular variety.

Mixed Chocolates
The Lb. 60c

An assortment of milk and dark chocolates or bonbons and chocolates—from our own shop; 1 to 5 lb. boxes.

Candy Shop—Main Floor

For Future Champions—

Junior Golf Sets

Ranging in Price From

$5.50 to $9

¶ Sets for younger players—and each consists of a bag three clubs and two golf balls.

Tubular Skates

Spalding Shoe-and-Skate outfits—in racer or hockey style $7.50

Wright and Ditson Shoe-and-Skate outfits, in racer or hockey style $6.95

$32 to $35 Bicycles

$29.95

The well-known Davis Bicycles in roadster, racer and camel frame models.

Sixth Floor

An Unusual Gift Offering of

Electric Percolators

$15 to $16.50 Values..... $13.95

¶ A gift that the particular housewife would like to receive; 4 to 9 cup sizes of the most excellent makes; heavily nickel plated and with modern pumping systems.

$7.95 Hotpoint Electric Heaters	$6.39
$10 Thermax Waffle Irons	$7.25
$29.95 Cleveland Electric Cleaners	$18.95
$7.50 Sta-Warm Heating Pads	$4.95

Electric Irons

$4.50 Value.. $2.19

"Sterling" make Electric Irons in 6-lb. size, nickeled, and with cord and stand.

Basement Gallery

Unusual Pre-Christmas Choice of

$75 Wilton Rugs

9x12-Ft. and Without Seams

Special Monday... $62.75

¶ Handsome Persian and Chinese designs are featured in these Rugs—all durably woven of heavy yarns and finished on ends with a heavy fringe. The colorings are especially effective.

$28.50 Rugs

$20.25

Seamless 6x9 ft. Axminster Rugs of splendid grade; patterns and colorings to suit many tastes.

Small Rugs

$5 And $8.75

Axminster and Wilton Rugs in the small, 27x54-inch size—so practical for gifts.

Fifth Floor

Bountiful May Santa Claus Be to Little Ones This Christmas, for on Monday, Parents Will Find That

Extreme Savings Prevail in Toyland

Wide Assortments of Playthings That Will Delight Busy Last-Minute Shoppers—Here Are Some Groups

Feature groups presenting scores of imported Character and Jointed Dolls.

¶ If you have been looking for the Doll that your little girl will like best—here will your choice be made to her utmost delight, for the adorable baby faces of these imported Character Dollies will go straight to her heart. There are many styles—all with bisque heads, moving eyes with lashes, and beautiful wigs. For convenience, they are grouped as follows; revealing savings very far out-of-the-ordinary:

$2.50 to $3.95 Dolls	$4.45 to $4.98 Dolls	$5.95 to $6.95 Dolls	$7.95 to $9.95 Dolls
$1.00	$1.98	$2.98	$3.98

Sidewalk Cars

—for boys or girls; strongly built and attractively painted: $3.50 val., $2.50 | $5.50 val., $4.45 | $4.75 val., $3.75 | $5.95 val. $4.69 | $6 Values, $4.95

Building Blocks

—of stone; for making castles, bridges and other models. $2.50 val., $1.25 | $4.50 val., $2.25 | $2.75 val., $1.38 | $4.95 val., $2.48 | 7.95 value $3.98

Tree Ornaments

—in gayest colors and scores of styles; these boxed assortments: 25c val....19c | 50c val....35c | 39c val....25c | 65c val....45c | 98c value 59c

$2.50 Scooters

Sidewalk Scooters with sturdy steel frames and footboards and rubber-tired disc wheels for boys or girls; special $1.59

Toy Shop—Basement Gallery

For Her Kitchen—These "Wear-Ever"

Saucepan Sets

$2.65 Value, 3 Pieces..... $1.89

¶ Wear-Ever aluminum gives best of service, and these Sets include one each 1½, 2 and 2½ quart sizes—in lipped style, with strongly riveted handles.

$1.85 Roasters

Oval aluminum Roasters of good size; seamless body and cover..... $1.39

$14.85 Scales

White enameled Bathroom Scales with platform top; weigh up to 250 pounds $11.98

$4.50 White Medicine Cabinets	$3.25
$1.75 Lamb Moulds, in two parts	$1.00
$3.00 Kitchen Clocks, square dial	$3
81 All-Metal Nut Crackers	79c
Carving Sets, 2 and 3 piece	$2.50 to $12.50
$6.50 Wearever Aluminum Roasters	$5.95

Basement Gallery

Beautifully Made Are These Christmas

Wreaths

Special at..... $1.95

¶ Wreaths made of foliage, and decorated with pine cones, poinsettias and other flowers in beautiful Christmas colorings.

Basement Floral Shop

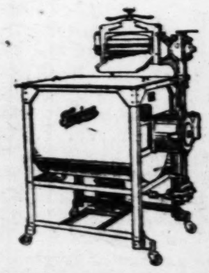
For Electric Gifts—Consider

Trojan Washers

$160 Value

$89.50

$5 Cash; 6 Monthly



¶ For the housewife wanting an excellent Electric Washer, the "Trojan" is ideal—and at this special price many more should be able to have one. The "Trojan" washes with the cylindrical method and always proves efficient and satisfactory.

Basement Gallery

Specials!

—From which to fill many gift needs at savings—splendid opportunities for quick selection.

Manicure Sets

$5 Value

$2.75

¶ Imported Manicure ecrase and other leath ted with manicure ments; choice of vari orings.

Gold Fountain Pen

$10 Value

$3.50

¶ Plain or engraved Pens with 20-year gu barrels and 14-k. gol iridium tipped. and women.

Women's Slippers

$1.95 Value,

$1.60

¶ The popular and able Felt Slippers Hylo and Everett leather soles and rub assorted colors.

Silk Lingerie

Very Special

$5.95

¶ An assortment radium silk Princ radium silk Gowns, pongee Pajamas, and Drawers and Bloo crepe satin.

Girls' Sweaters

$3.98 Valu

$2.98

¶ Roll collars and have these warm knitted in heavy r navy, tan, gray an Caps to match,

Girls' Silk Gowns

$5.95 Va

$3.7

¶ For girls of 8 t these pink or wh silk Nightgowns gifts; sleeveless sleeve; limited gro

Wooden Nut Bow

$1.98 Va

$1.4

¶ Round wooden lished in mahogan inches in diameter, with center anvil plated hammer.

Madeira Napkin

$7.95 Value

$6.

¶ Madeira Linen Napkins; 12x12 in scalloped and hand embroidered; a dozen.

Fancy Pillowcas

Very Speci

$4.

¶ Pillowcases wi broidered and mo and filet lace inch size; each box.

eting Cards

ith opes .. $2.75

order for these distinctive day, and we will have them within 36 hours. With your am and Christmas wishes.

Main Floor—Main Aisle

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Fourth Floor

or Future Champions—

Junior Golf Sets

Ranging in Price From

$5.50 to $9

Sets for younger players and each consists of a bag, ree clubs and two golf lls.

Tubular Skates

Spalding Shoe-and-Skate outfits—in racer or hockey style $7.50

Wright and Ditson Shoe-and-Skate outfits, in racer or hockey style $6.95

32 to $35 Bicycles

$29.95

e well-known Davis Bicycles in adster, racer and camel frame odels.

Sixth Floor

, Parents Will Find That Toyland

—Here Are Some Groups

$2.50 Scooters

Sidewalk Scooters with sturdy steel frames and footboards, and rubber-tired disc wheels; for boys or girls; special $1.59

Toy Shop—Basement Gallery

Christmas Cards

In Varied Assortments

¶ Cards to convey a cheery greeting to your friends on Christmas morn may be chosen quickly from our assortment, which includes many kinds—from gay ones to the most formal

Main Floor

St. Louis' Dominant Christmas Store

FAMOUS-BARR CO.

We Give Eagle Stamps and Redeem Full Books for $2.00 in Cash or $2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles Excepted.

See Our Other Announcements on Pages 6, 8 and 9

Children's Books

$1.20 Value .. 85c

¶ "Heidi" by Johanna Spyri—one of the stories boys and girls love best; with four beautiful full-page illustrations in color and many in black and white.

Sixth Floor

Specials!!

—From which to fill many gift needs at savings—splendid opportunities for quick selection.

Manicure Sets

$5 Value

$2.75

¶ Imported Manicure Rolls of ecrase and other leathers, fitted with manicure implements; choice of various colorings.

Main Floor

Gold Fountain Pens

$10 Value

$3.50

¶ Plain or engraved Fountain Pens with 20-year gold-filled barrels and 14-k. gold point, iridium tipped. For men and women.

Main Floor

Women's Slippers

$1.95 Value, Pair

$1.60

¶ The popular and comfortable Felt Slippers in Juliet, Hylo and Everett styles; leather soles and rubber heels, assorted colors.

Second Floor

Silk Lingerie

Very Special—

$5.95

¶ An assortment including radium silk Princess Slips, radium silk Gowns, two-piece pongee Pajamas, and Step-in Drawers and Bloomers of crepe satin.

Third Floor

Girls' Sweaters

$3.98 Value

$2.98

¶ Roll collars and pockets have these warm Sweaters; knitted in heavy rope stitch; navy, tan, gray and maroon. Caps to match, $1.

Fourth Floor

Girls' Silk Gowns

$5.95 Value

$3.79

¶ For girls of 8 to 16 years, these pink or white radium silk Nightgowns are ideal gifts; sleeveless or kimona sleeve; limited group.

Third Floor

Wooden Nut Bowls

$1.98 Value

$1.49

¶ Round wooden Bowls finished in mahogany effect, 8 inches in diameter, and fitted with center anvil and nickel-plated hammer.

Basement Gallery

Madeira Napkins

$7.95 Value, Doz.

$6.95

¶ Madeira linen Luncheon Napkins; 13x13 inches, hand scalloped and exquisitely hand embroidered; in boxes of a dozen.

Third Floor

Fancy Pillowcases

Very Special, Pair

$4.95

¶ Pillowcases with hand-embroidered and mosaic designs, and filet lace edge; 45x36-inch size; each pair in gift box.

Third Floor

Extraordinary Savings on Lasting Gifts if You Participate in This Timely Sale of

DIAMONDS AND JEWELRY

Genuine Pearl Necklaces

—Special at $48 to $552.50

What lovelier gifts than these strands of real Oriental Pearls, with diamond-set clasps of platinum or white gold?

¶ St. Louis' Dominant Gift Store—and this is one of the events which proves it to be so. Gorgeous diamond-set pieces, other types of Jewelry and handsome silverware—exquisite gift articles at extreme savings for Christmas shoppers. The following remarkable groups are offered subject to prior sale, and deferred payments may be arranged with the Department of Accounts, if desired.

Diamond Watches

$65 to $375 Values

$52.50 to $315

Beautiful Wrist Watches of platinum or white gold, set with diamonds combined with emeralds or sapphires and having excellent movements.

Diamond Bracelets

$100 to $1500 Values at

$85 to $1175

Flexible Bracelets of platinum or white gold with platinum top; set with diamonds combined with sapphires and emeralds or just with sapphires.

Diamond Rings

$50 to $1750 Values

$42.50 to $1350

Hundreds of handsome gift Rings in solitaire, dinner and other exquisite styles—all with beautiful mountings of platinum or white gold.

Diamond Ring Watches

$200 Value at

$150

Ultra-exquisite, oval Wrist Watches, of platinum; studded with 24 handsome diamonds and having 17-jeweled movements.

Men's Elgin Watches

$27.50 to $30 Values

$24.50

Thin model, 25-year white or green gold-filled, engraved cases; 17-jeweled Elgin movements. Useful and lasting gifts.

Diamond Watches

—Of Elgin Make—Special at

$57.50 $67.50 $72.50

Women's rectangular, 14-k. white gold Wrist Watches, with 2 or 4 diamonds and 2 to 10 sapphires in case with 15-jeweled Elgin movements.

Diamond Bar Pins

$45 to $575 Values at

$36 to $475

Exquisitely wrought mountings of platinum or solid white gold, set with brilliantly-cut diamonds; a most charming Christmas gift.

Dinner Rings

—in Special Groups at

$30 to $125

Little finger Dinner Rings of white gold, set with 2 or 3 diamonds, having synthetic emeralds or sapphires with the diamonds.

Diamond-Set Watches

$175 Value at

$139.50

Oval platinum Wrist Watches with 18 diamonds and 4 synthetic emeralds or sapphires; rectangular models with 20 diamonds and 4 synthetic sapphires.

Wrist Watches

$10.50 Value at

$9.45

Small octagon or Tonneau shaped Watches; white gold-filled, engraved cases and 11-jeweled movements.

Community Plate Sets

26 Pieces in Set—Special

A velvet-lined Gift Case containing 6 hollow-handled knives, forks, tablespoons and teaspoons and 1 sugar shell and 1 butter knife. Choice of 4 patterns. $30.50

Sterling Sherbet Sets

$20 Value—in Gift Cases at

Six sterling silver Sherbet Cups in pierced design; each one lined with beautifully engraved glass. A remembrance "she" would like to receive Christmas morn. $14.95

Wrist Watches

$25 Value at

$16.95

Rectangular Wrist Watches with 14-k. white gold cases and reliable, 15-jeweled movements.

Main Floor

Specials!!

—From which to fill many gift needs at savings—splendid opportunities for quick selection.

Artistic Cushions

$6.75 & $7.50 Values

$5

¶ Round, oblong, square or novelty shaped Cushions for bedroom, boudoir or living room; of satin damask, and silk taffetas.

Fourth Floor

Men's Fur Caps

Very Special—

$5

¶ For the man who likes the outdoors; these near-seal Caps in comfortable Detroit style, with adjustable visor; ideal for driving.

Main Floor

Boys' Sweaters

$6.95 Value

$5.55

¶ Shaker-knit Coat Sweaters with big shawl collar and two pockets; of pure wool yarn, in buff, maroon, brown and cardinal. Sizes 10 to 16 years.

Second Floor

Men's Slippers

$2.50 Value, Pair

$1.95

¶ Comfortable Slippers of tan kid with turned soles and rubber heels; Romeo or Everett styles; good range of sizes.

Second Floor

Underwood Typewriters

Very Special—

$55

¶ Rebuilt Machines that will give perfect satisfaction; back spacer, lateral guide, double shift, and other features. Terms if desired.

Sixth Floor

Gillette Razor Sets

$12 Value

$7.95

¶ Gillette Safety Razors, gold plated; ten double-edged blades, shaving brush and shaving stick in case; plush-lined box.

Basement Gallery

Golf Club Sets

Very Special—

$6.95

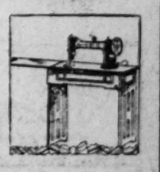
¶ Sets consisting of four excellent Clubs, and "Sunday" bag of heavy white duck; complete with two splendid grade golf balls.

Sixth Floor

Domestic Machines

$95 Value

$60



¶ Foot-power Domestic Machines with the Singer-type shuttle, and golden oak, walnut or mahogany finish; guaranteed; with attachments.

Sixth Floor

Give the Hoover

Cash Payment of

$2

¶ With a year to pay the balance. A convenient way to obtain a gift of utmost worth to the housewife; one that she would select for herself.

Basement Gallery

In Convenient Groups Monday Are Specially Priced

Gift Handkerchiefs

For Men and Women—All of Fine Quality Linens

Women's 'Kerchiefs

18c Each, Box of 6... $1

Charming 'Kerchiefs of Mayflax linen—a sheer quality woven especially for us; in all the popular sports shades with midget hemstitched hems.

Women's 'Kerchiefs

25c Each, Box of 6.. $1.40

Daintiest of 'Kerchiefs are these of fine, sheer white Mayflax linen, with ⅛, ¼ or ½ inch hems, exquisitely hand drawn. In white only.

Men's 'Kerchiefs

39c Each, Box of 6... $2.25

Pure Irish linen Handkerchiefs; our own Mayflax brand, in full size, with white woven cords and hand-drawn half inch hems.

Men's 'Kerchiefs

75c Each, 6 for..... $4.25

For the fastidious man, these best quality Mayflax Irish linen Handkerchiefs are most desirable; full size, with ¼ or ½ inch hand-drawn hems.

Women's Linen 'Kerchiefs

Sheer white linen Handkerchiefs with midget hems and neatly hand-embroidered initial; each 35c ..... 6 for $2.00

Men's Linen 'Kerchiefs

—Handkerchiefs of white corded, hemstitched linen with embroidered long-letter initial; box of ..... 3 for $1.50

Fancy Boxed Linen Handkerchiefs

Exquisite imported Handkerchiefs of fine linen, with Point Venise lace or footing, and embroidered corners; gift boxes of 3 different designs; special, $2, $2.50 and $3

Main Floor

Select His Christmas Gift From These

4800 Men's $2 to $3 Shirts

"Arrow"—"Earl & Wilson" and Other Makes

$1.69

¶ This group offers choice of 1200 Earl & Wilson striped Shirts, 1200 Arrow striped Shirts, 1200 white Oxfords and 1200 soisette Shirts in white, tan or gray. There are both neckband and attached collar styles—in sizes from 13½ to 19.

$5 Blanket Bathrobes

Warm blankets in smart stripes and Jacquard figures supplied the material for these Robes. The colors are gray, navy, brown, etc. All sizes. Choice of the group at..... $3.95

Belts With Sterling Buckles

Genuine cowhide Belts are set off by sterling silver Buckles of attractive design. Each set is packed in a beautiful gift box—ready to give. Belts of all sizes. $3 value..... $1.95

Main Floor

Special Gift Group—1800 Pairs of

"Surety" Hose

$2.65 Value—Monday

Pair for

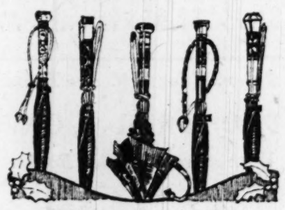
$1.95

¶ Handsome fine gauge Hosiery with silk garter tops and soles lined with lisle—beautiful in appearance and serviceable—the kind of Hose you will take pride in giving. In black and a dozen colors. Sizes 8½ to 10.

Children's 85c Silk Socks

Ribbon-top silk Socks in white, pink and light blue—dainty remembrances in sizes 4½ to 6½. Special, pair..... 50c

Main Floor



$7.50 to $10 Sample

Umbrellas

$4.98

¶ A group of 500 beautiful sample handles—specially purchased—made possible this truly surprising value. We had them carefully mounted on best quality silk-and-cotton mixed "Gloria" with bakelite or imitation amber tips. They are in the club style—smartest and most ideal for women's or misses' gifts.

Main Floor

Specials in Enchanting Kinds of

Gift Perfumes

In Containers of Unusual Artistry

"Pourquoi Pas"

Translated, "Why Not"—a subtle alluring scent from Gimay; in dainty bottles, $2.75 to $12 values, special $2.95 to $9.95.

"Gimay's" Scents

These delightful fragrances are contained in charming gift packages; $4.00 to $10 values, special, $2.75 to $6.75.

$3 Mavis Sets

Vivaudou's gift sets of Mavis Toiletries, in beautifully lined boxes. Very special $1.89

$1.50 Mary Garden

Mary Garden Toilet Water; exquisite and lasting of fragrance; in attractive boxes; special 95c

Guerlain's Scents

The vivacious "Rue de la Paix" Perfume and alluring "Champs Elysees," also other Guerlain fragrances; $5 to $11.25.

Rocco's "Muguet"

Exquisite and clinging is this "Divine Muguet" Perfume; $1.50, $3 to $4.50 values, special at $1, $2.25 to $3.25.

"Black Narcissus"

Caron's captivating scent in the quaintest of gift bottles and boxes; priced $4.50 to $13.50.

"Violette de Parme"

Roger & Gallet's delicate violet-scented Toilet Water; special; $1.60 to $2.75 values, each, $1.35 to $2.10.

Floret's $12 and $16.50 Scents..... $9 and $12
Coty's Perfumes, each..... $1 to $7.25
Coty's Sets, each..... $12 and $13.50
Houbigant's Perfumes, each..... $1.75 to $15
Houbigant's Gift Sets..... $3.50 to $22
$2 to $3 Mayer's Viennese Perfumes..... $1.45

Main Floor

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$2.25 Tulip Lamps

Special at..... $1.59

¶ Polychromed, figured tulip Lamps, complete, with glass shade in colors of blue, rose, lavender, yellow, green and white. With cord and socket.

Basement Economy Store

Hollowware

Offered at..... $1.00

¶ A large assortment of silver-plated Hollowware, including bonbon dishes, vases, lamps and other wanted pieces.

Basement Economy Store

Many Specially Priced Gift Groups Monday in the Basement Economy Store

Women's Purses

$1.50 to $2 Values.... $1.25

¶ 1000 leather Purses in various styles including swagger, pouch and underarm bags. Ideal for gifts.

Basement Economy Store

Here's a Practical Gift for the Youngster!

Boys' Suits

Offered at $4.75

¶ Novelty Suits in middy and button style with large or small collar. Of wool-mixed jersey, tweeds and other materials. Plain colors and combinations. Sizes 2½ to 8 years.

Basement Economy Store

Girls' Raincapes

$1.50 Value..... $1.00

¶ Rubberized Capes in navy blue or maroon with checked linings and attached hoods; sizes 8 to 14 years.

Basement Economy Store

Monday—Extreme Pre-Christmas Savings in Women's and Misses' Sports and Dressy

$27.50, $30 and $35 Coats

Smart Garments Secured in a Special Purchase

Choice at..... $21

¶ Fur-trimmed Coats in Winter styles that will please the minute you see them. There are sports and dressy models of such fashionable and durable fabrics as Bolivia, cut suede, downywool, suede velour, polair and furlaine and there are black Coats as well as brown, deer, penny, brick and cranberry shades. The tailoring of these Coats reveals that they are worth much more than $21.

The fur trimmings are many, offering wide choice for women and misses of many tastes.

Basement Economy Store

Women's Gloves

$1.25 Value.. 88c

¶ A wide assortment of good quality washable chamois-suede fabric Gauntlets with fancy short cuffs.

Basement Economy Store

In Holly Boxes—Assorted

Christmas Candy

Three Pounds for $1

¶ Assorted chocolates, wrapped caramels, nougat, and many other kinds—in attractive Christmas boxes.

Place Your Order Now—Candies Shipped Anywhere

Basement Candy Shop

$2.25 Silks

Special Yard... $1.69

¶ Included are 36-inch heavy quality black satin and 40-inch high luster black charmeuse in qualities best suited to dress wear. Give a dress length!

Basement Economy Store

Monday—Many Will Want Some of These

Men's Slippers

Useful Gifts—Pair $2.65

¶ Brown kid Everett or Romeo style Slippers with flexible soles and rubber heels; sizes 6 to 12.

Slippers—for men; of various shades of felt; in Everett style; padded insoles; sizes 6 to 11. Pair at..... $1.23

Slippers—Women's felt Juliets or Everetts, ribbon-trimmed; leather soles and rubber heels; sizes 3 to 8. At.... $1.15

Slippers—Boys' felt Slippers; scout design on vamp; leather soles and sizes 1 to 5½. Priced... 89c

Bootees—Children's felt Bootees in red or blue. All sizes from infants' 6 to misses' 2. Priced, 89c

Basement Economy Store

You'll Make No Mistake in Choosing "His" Gift From These

Men's $5 Bathrobes

In Many Designs—Very Special Monday..... $3.95

¶ Warm, comfortable Blanket Robes in patterns and colorings that men like—made with "Byron" collar, pockets and cord girdle; carefully and serviceably tailored. All sizes.

$2 Pajamas—Of cotton pongee and flannelette; plain colors, stripes and white; all sizes; pr. $1.65

$6 to $7.50 Sweaters—Wool and wool-mixed; in coat and pull-on styles; with or without roll collar; also Sports Coats; sizes 28 to 46. Special, $4.95

Shirts—Men's neckband style fiber Shirts in stripes and plain colors; sizes 14 to 17 ..... $2.95

$1.50 Neckties—Silk, silk-and-wool and Swiss knit Ties in many favored patterns; in gift boxes 85c

Basement Economy Store

A Splendid Saving on These

Women's Vests

$1.25 Value... 85c

¶ Heavy lustrous "rayon" Vests in bodice tops with ribbon shoulder straps. In shades of peach or pink. A practical gift, sure to be welcomed.

Women's Hosiery

Full-fashioned silk-mixed Hose with lisle tops and reinforced feet. Black and colors, $1.50 value, the pair..... $1.00

Basement Economy Store

For Christmas Many Will Give

Wool Scarf Sets

—Cap and Scarf to Match

$2.95 Value Monday $1.95

¶ A matching cap and scarf of brushed wool in stripes of several attractive combinations of colors—especially nice for gifts.

Basement Economy Store

A Practical Gift at a Saving!

$6.50 Blankets

The Pair.... $5.00

¶ Wool-mixed Blankets in large plaids of blue, tan, gray or lavender. Size 66x80 inches with cotton sateen binding to match. Just 150 pairs in the lot.

Basement Economy Store

A Special Selling of Women's Dainty

Overblouses

$8 and $10 Values $4.89

¶ Overblouses of splendid quality heavy crepe de chine in tailored and dress styles. In the popular colors of navy, cocoa, rust, gray, white and black and trimmed in various ways. There are regular and extra sizes.

Basement Economy Store

An Excellent Gift Would Be One of These

$2.50 Buffet Sets

Complete, the Set.... $1.69

¶ A lot of 250 Sets, consisting of fruit bowl and a pair of candles and candlesticks, polychromed in fruit design to match. Sets that will prove very attractive and acceptable for gifts. A gift that will add a new "touch" to the home for the holiday and afterwards. Make your selection Monday.

Basement Economy Store

Add Color and Charm to the Tea Table!

Give Tea Sets

Offered Complete.... $1.88

¶ Tea holds a new fascination when the table is set with one of these Sets. They consist of 36x36-inch cloth and six napkins—of full-bleached mercerized cotton damask with borders of blue, pink or gold.

Linen Napkins—Pure linen damask Napkins, 15x15 inches, bleached and hemstitched. Crest for monogram. Dozen..... $5

Tea Cloths—Imported Japanese Tea Cloths 72x72 inches—with bluebird and floral designs. Hemstitched. Each..... $1.49

Basement Economy Store

Unusual Savings for Those Who Would Please With

Women's $9 Bathrobes

Special Monday... $6.95

¶ Warm and serviceable Robes of splendid Beacon cloth; large collars, pockets, kimono sleeves and satin ribbon trimming; with heavy cord girdles. A practical Robe for gift-giving.

Kimonos—of box-loom crepe—with pockets, lace and ribbon frills. Various colors; sizes 36 to 52. Exceptional value at... $4.95

Underwear—Crepe de chine gowns, envelope chemises and step-ins; pastel colors; in two special groups $1.95 & $2.95

Underwear—Gowns, chemises, bloomers, pajamas and slips—of imported voile, batiste and crepe. $1.29 and $1.49 values, special 95c

Basement Economy Store

Among Monday's Hosiery Offerings Are

Women's Silk Hose

$2 Value, Pair $1.50

¶ These are full-fashioned thread silk Hose, with double lisle tops and reinforced feet. Black and colors. Three pairs for $4.25.

Men's Hose—Seamless wool-mixed Hose; ribbed tops and reinforced feet. Black and colors. Irregulars of 59c to 69c grades, pair..... 37c

Men's Hose—Seamless mercerized lisle Hose with ribbed tops and reinforced feet. Black and colors. 50c value 35c

Men's Hose—Seamless cotton Hose with double heels and toes. Black and colors. 35c value, pair, 25c

Basement Economy Store

Cork Linoleum

Rugs

Seconds of $18 Grade

$11.95

¶ 9x12-ft. Rugs of genuine Cork Linoleum in patterns appropriate for bedrooms, dining rooms or kitchens; slightly imperfect.

Basement Economy Store

Why Not Select "Her" One of These

Women's Umbrellas

$7.50 Value, Special..... $5

¶ These are of colored silk with imitation amber tips and ends and there is a wide variety of pretty handles. The colors are navy, green and lavender.

Umbrellas—For men and women. Of fast black waterproof American cotton taffeta. 500 in lot. $3.00 value. Special at..... $2.00

Umbrellas—500 children's Umbrellas of fast black waterproof American cotton taffeta. Handles for boys and girls. $2.25 value $1.79

Basement Economy Store

Splendid for Gifts Are These

Large Bath Towels

With Attractive Blue Border

Priced, Each.. 79c

¶ These are extra large 24x46-inch size Towels, made of full bleached terry cloth. They have wide border of blue, and the ends are strongly hemmed.

Towel Sets—One bath Towel, one guest Towel and a wash cloth—full bleached with crochet edge of blue, pink, helio or gold. Boxed, set 88c

Table Damask—Full bleached pure linen Table Damask, 70 inches wide—with spot, floral or stripe design. Heavy quality, priced the yard $1.33

Pillowcases

42x36-inch Pillowcases, made of an excellent quality bleached cotton. Scalloped and embroidered edges, with eyelet work. The pair..... $1.18

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The Gift That Never Fails to Please—

Handkerchiefs

For Men, Women; Box of 6; $1 Value 79c

¶ Those for women are of good quality hemstitched cambric with embroidered corners; men's Handkerchiefs have pretty colored initials.

Handkerchiefs—Women's hemstitched cambric Handkerchiefs with colored embroidered corners. Box of 3, 79c to $1 values..... 50c

Handkerchiefs—Women's, with white or colored embroidered corners; for men, large plain white hemstitched ones. 12½c to 15c values 10c

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Curtains

Each $1.59

¶ Lace panel Curtains in many effective patterns—in the popular beige tint; finished with thread or bullion fringe.

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For Christmas—a Wide Selection of

Suits and Overcoats

Excellent Value at.... $18

¶ Suits are "English" style, form-fitting and conservative—made of cheviots, cassimeres and worsteds. Sizes 15 years to 42 chest. Overcoats are smartly tailored—and offered in sizes 16 years to 44 chest.

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Offered at..... $1.39

¶ Inband or plain Caps in visor style, also wool-knitted muffler Caps. Small, medium and large sizes, also 6¾ to 7⅞.

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Step-In Pants

Priced at..... 85c

¶ Durably made "Rayon" Step-In Pants with elastic in waist. In pink or peach colors and of excellent quality.

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For Baby

¶ Select from the following practical gifts for little ones.

$3.95 Krinkledown Buntings, $2.95

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$1.95 Lingerie Cloth Dresses, $1.29

$1.49 Bathrobes..... $1

$4.50 Sweater Sets.... $2.95

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For Christmas, Select Beautiful Console

Phonographs

Priced Complete . $67.50

$5 Cash, $5 a Month

¶ Queen Anne Console in two-tone mahogany or walnut finish—complete with mirror and torcheres with standard two-spring silent motor. Fully guaranteed.

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Highly efficient instrument in artistic, graceful cabinet.

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Six-Tube Portable Sets

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¶ These convenient portable Sets require no outside aerials or ground wires. They are highly efficient and bring in longest distances. Pr batteries.

C and W Teledynes

Installed, Complete.. $149.75

Four-tube Sets in solid walnut cabinets. Complete with everything. $325 value.

Radiolette Crystal Set

Radiolette Crystal Sets with stay-put —nickel-plated, etc. Will receive all local stations. Priced.....

$220 Freed-Eisemann NR-6 Sets....
$150 Paragon 3-Tube Sets, complete
$175 Hatfield 4-Tube Sets, complete
$185 Thompson Neutrodyne 5-Tube
$210 Moon 4-Tube Sets, complete
$225 Lyradion 6-Tube Loop Sets..

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Seamless cotton Hose with double heels and toes. Black and colors. 35c value, pair, 25c
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We Give and Redeem Eagle Stamps—Few Restricted Articles Excepted.

Choose a Christmas Piano That Has Stood the Test of Time

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Reproducing Pianos
Grands $3000 Uprights $1650
Grand Pianos
$1150 $1250 $1330
Uprights
$790

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Reproducing Pianos
Grands $2250 Uprights $1295
Grand Pianos, $795, $895
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$575 $625 $675
Uprights, $375, $425

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Reproducing Grand Pianos
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Our convenient Club Plan enables many to own one of these instruments.

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Selection Now Assures Installation by Christmas of

Radio and Phonograph Combinations

—Offered in Both the Victrola and Brunswick

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Sold on Convenient Terms

¶ If you prefer, you may select Victrolas No. 405 and 215 with radio attachments. A standard $250 Radiola 7B, five-tube panel, will be installed in either of these models and

Placed in the Home Complete at an Additional Cost of Only $135

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Brunswick Radiola
Style 35, Priced.... $285
Highly efficient instrument in artistic, graceful cabinet.

Brunswick Radiola
Style 360, Priced.... $650
In addition to all the distinctive Brunswick features, this instrument includes a Super-Heterodyne Receiver.

Brunswick Radiola
Style 160, Priced at.. $550
With Super-Heterodyne six-tube receiver — and all Brunswick features.

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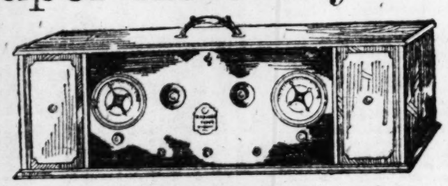

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Four-tube Sets in solid walnut cabinets. Complete with everything. $325 value.

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$225 Value. Complete.... $195
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$185 Thompson Neutrodyne 5-Tube Sets, $155
$210 Moon 4-Tube Sets, complete.....$135
$225 Lyradion 6-Tube Loop Sets.....$135
$150 Freshman Masterpiece 5-Tube Sets.$95
$165 C and W Cabinets, complete.....$98
ZR-4 Transcontinental 5-Tube Sets....$49.75
$190 Lytton 6-Tube Portable Sets.....$95
$150 Stewart Reflex, complete.....$125
$160 Day-Fan 4-Tube Sets.....$140

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WITH a Behr Brothers Player-Piano in your home, you will possess a lifetime source of entertainment. And you will have an instrument that fits in with beautiful surroundings.

The outward charm and beauty of this Piano is only rivaled by its glorious tone. Since 1881 many renowned pianists and composers have paid tribute to the Behr. The following words of praise came from Sebastian Bach Mills, one of the greatest of America's pianists:

"I have never performed on a Piano that has given me more pleasure. I hardly touched the keys when I felt the responsive chord which makes artist and instrument one."

The Behr Brothers Player-Piano costs only $575. It has taken nearly a half century of experience in the art of building fine Pianos to make possible such a superb instrument, at such a moderate price.

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Upright Pianos
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Music Salon—Sixth Floor

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MUST LET POLITICIANS ALONE

Stage Comedians Ordered to Desist by British Lord Chamberlain.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—Prominent British politicians have been protected from the irreverent chafings of theater comedians by recent rulings of the Lord Chamberlain, who is the official responsible for censoring the plays and songs produced behind British footlights.

His most recent ruling was against a west end company which was about to produce a new edition of its frothy musical revue. One of the songs in the piece was not allowed to be sung because in it four eminent politicians—Austen Chamberlain, Winston Churchill, Ramsay MacDonald and David Lloyd George—were portrayed in a lightsome vein by members of the company. Such immunity in times of peace has heretofore been given almost exclusively to royalty.

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With new Overcoats costing $30 or more, Hart Schaffner & Marx Overcoats and Suits are by far the finest made. Come and examine them. 700 on hand. Many like new. Also fine tailor-made, not-called-for new suits at less than half.
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STEP TO DETERMINE RIGHT OF DENIAL OF APPEAL BOND

Federal Judge Davis Turns Down the Application of Henry Flachskamm for Bail.

FILES MEMORANDUM OF HIS REASONS

Believed That Issue Will Be Carried to Supreme Court by Convicted Stamp Broker.

A step toward determination by the United States Court of Appeals and, possibly, the United States Supreme Court, of the asserted right of a trial court Judge to deny bond pending an appeal from conviction, was taken by Federal Judge Davis yesterday.

In sentencing Henry Flachskamm, stamp collector and broker, to serve four years at Leavenworth prison and pay a $5000 fine, Judge Davis denied an application for bail pending action on Flachskamm's appeal and filed a memorandum of his reasons for so doing. The memorandum was filed apparently for the sake of the record when the denial is passed upon by a higher court.

Established Precedent.

Judge Davis, as will be recalled, established a precedent in this judicial district of denying supersedeas bail to convicted defendants in cases where he felt there had been no error in the trial and no probable cause for the Appellate Court to overturn judgment and sentence of the lower court. This resulted in immediate commitment of defendants to prison.

Flachskamm, who is secretary of the C. E. Hussman Stamp Co. and resides at 3906 Lindell boulevard, was taken into custody by the United States Marshal when bail was denied. It is believed likely his attorney, James E. Carroll, will go to the Supreme Court, if necessary, to seek his release on bond.

The stamp broker was found guilty Thursday by a jury in Judge Davis' court of possessing $5734 in unused postage stamps which he knew to have been stolen from the Postoffice Department. Flachskamm had, when arrested, admitted buying, at reduced prices, about $100,000 worth of stamps from Herman C. Davis, an employe of the Postoffice Department at Washington, D. C., and reselling them at a profit, but contended he did not then know Davis was a Government employe and had stolen the stamps.

New Trial Denied.

Yesterday Attorney Carroll filed a motion for a new trial alleging no proof had been shown that Flachskamm knew the stamps in his possession had been stolen. This motion, as well as one for arrest of judgment, was overruled.

Attorney Carroll then referred to his client's age and physical condition. "I understand he's 57 years old," remarked Judge Davis. "That's right," Flachskamm replied, nodding his head. Sentence of four years' imprisonment and a $5000 fine was then passed. The maximum allowed is five years and $5000.

Davis, who pleaded guilty to the theft of the stamps, sold to Flachskamm, was one of five witnesses presented by the Government at Flachskamm's trial. Davis himself had previously been sentenced to five years' imprisonment, but immediately paroled in consideration of his testimony and his partial restitution of $48,000.

Court Memorandum.

The Court's memorandum follows:

"The defendant has been tried, sentenced and now moves the Court to determine the amount of bail pending his appeal. The time consumed in trial of this case was two days. The defendant was ably represented by counsel. No material evidence was admitted over defendant's objections. The defendant did not testify and did not offer any other witnesses in his behalf. No requested instruction to the jury was refused. No objection to charges as given by the Court was taken by the defendant.

"The testimony indicated that the defendant had received stolen postage stamps of the value, approximately, of $100,000; that his profit in the transaction was not less than $25,000. The jury reached a verdict of guilty. The Court concurs in that verdict. The evidence established his guilt beyond a possibility of doubt.

"The defendant has previously been in conflict with the law. The Court has before it a certified copy of the record of the United States District Court of Illinois which shows that in 1904 the defendant was convicted of using the mails to defraud and was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary. The Court may keep in mind this fact in considering this matter. There appears to be no good reason why the defendant should be released pending appeal and therefore the application will be denied."

Food Prices Up in November.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Retail food prices showed a further increase of approximately 1 per cent in the month ending Nov. 15, according to figures announced today by the Department of Labor, covering 21 food articles in 51 cities.

Bryan's Former Secretary Dies.

By the Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 20.—Robert R. Rose, 56 years of age, formerly private secretary to William Jennings Bryan and foreign trade adviser under the Wilson administration, died yesterday.

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USEFUL **XMAS GIFTS** AT **Ridiculous Low Prices**

Boys' Juvenile Overcoats and Mackinaws, All-Wool Jersey and Blue Serge Suits..... $2.75
Boys' $9 Overcoats, Mackinaws, also 2-Pants Pencil Stripe Cassimeres and Worsted Suits.... $4.75
Boys' $15 Overcoats, Gabardines, also finest 2-pants Suits, pencil stripes and worsteds; newest shades and models..... $8.75

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Men's Heavy All-Wool Serge Suits, also fancy-back Overcoats.... $10
Men's $12 Overcoats, Scotch mixtures, satin sleeve lining; also heavy Melton Overcoats..... $7.45
Men's $25 Overcoats, plaid-back, and 2-Pants Suits, tweeds, pencil stripes, worsteds and black Thibets..... $12.50
Men's $30 Overcoats, finest overplaids, newest models, 2-Pants Suits, silk mixture worsteds, imported pencil stripes.. $19.50
Men's $20 Genuine Gabardine Coats and plaid-back Overcoats. $12.50
Men's $10 Heavy Sheep-lined Coats, $7.95
Men's $6 Silk Shirts, crepe de chine, jerseys, etc. $3.95
Men's $8 White and Colored Rope Sweaters..... $4.75
Boys' Cowboy Suits..... $1.65
Boys' Jersey Gauntlets..... 25c
Men's $2.50 Silk Mufflers..... $1.50
Men's O. D. Heavy Flannel Shirts, double elbows, lined chest. $1.95
Men's $5 Sample Velour, Felt Hats and Fur Caps..... $2.45
Men's $2.50 Kid Gloves, lined.... $1.45
Boys' Corduroy Suits..... $1.95
Boys' "Indian" Suits..... 95c
Juvenile Corduroy Suits..... 85c
Men's $3.50 Rayo Silk Shirts $2.45
Boys' $5 All-Wool College Coat Sweaters and Pullovers..... $2.75
Ear Muffs, "adjustable"..... 10c
Genuine Collins Underwear.. $1.95
Wool-Mixed Underwear 75c
Men's and Boys' Winter Caps..50c
Men's $1.00 Silk Ties (boxed)..50c
Men's Heavy Ribbed Union Suits, $1.00
Men's Heavy Leather Mitts....25c
Men's Heavy Wool Sox..... 10c
Men's Percale Shirts; tan, white, stripes.... 75c
Men's 50c Heavy Knit and Leather-Palm Canvas Gloves; seconds..... 10c
Men's and Boys' Heavy Coat Sweaters; shawl collars..... 79c
Corduroy and Lined Cassimere Knickers... 75c
Men's Heavy Jersey Coats..... $1.75
Men's Combination Overalls..... $1.75
Men's $4 Moleskin, Cassimere and Pencil Stripe Pants..... $2.45
Men's Genuine Jeans and Corduroy Pants, up to 52 waist; well made $1.50
Men's $15 Heavy Cassimere Suits, Heavy Melton Overcoats, and Mackinaws..... $5.00

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WOMAN KEPT STORE PROCEEDS SAFE DURING ROBBERY

Two Highwaymen Who Scorned to Search Miss Barbara Stapp Missed $101.

Two highwaymen, who said they would not think of searching a woman, missed $101 which Miss Barbara Stapp of 1736 College avenue, East St. Louis, carried in her pocket when they held up the manager of a Kroger store with whom she was riding in an automobile at 7 o'clock Friday night.

The manager, Herbert Fritzinger, Miss Stapp and Herbert Rushkowitz, all employes of the Kroger company, had entered Fritzinger's automobile in front of the store at 1935 South Twelfth street. Fritzinger had given Miss Stapp the $101 which represented part of the day's collection for safekeeping against a possible holdup.

As the three were about to drive away from the store two men opened the doors of the car and climbed in, one into the front seat and one into the tonneau. They held revolvers.

"Where's the Kroger money?" they demanded.

Fritzinger handed them $35.

"That's not all," said the robber in front.

"Maybe this woman has the rest," suggested his companion.

"Far be it from us to search a lady," returned the first robber.

Both left the machine and disappeared.

AMERICAN RIFLEMEN WIN BACK THE ARGENTINE CUP

Marksmen of United States Also Take Pan-American Team Championship.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and the Chicago Daily News. Copyright 1924.

LIMA, Peru, Dec. 20.—The Argentine cup, won from the United States army sharpshooters 11 years ago at the Camp Perry rifle tournament by Argentine marksmen, is on its way back to the United States, having been won by American riflemen who defeated the Cuban team, the nearest competitor, by 74 points. The American marksmen also won the Pan-American team championship with Argentine third and Peru fourth.

The individual rifle championship was won by S. R. Hinds, U. S. A., by one point over M. Fisher of the Marine Corps. Olympic and international champion. Among the United States team were George Rehm, U. S. A.; R. O. Coulter, M. C., and Ensign Morgan, U. S. N. The next rifle match will take place in Cuba in October, 1925.

MISS GRACE TO WED BRITISHER

By the Associated Press.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Dec. 20.—Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Emmeline Marion Grace, daughter of Eugene G. Grace, president of the Bethlehem Steel Corp., to Capt. Sir Michael William Selby Bruce, was made at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grace.

Sir Michael is a direct descendant of Robert Bruce, King of Scotland. He served in the World War and was wounded severely.

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PRINTING PRESSES WITH RUBBER TYPE
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Printing presses, self inking, will print from 2¼x3¾ complete with metal type, price..... $7.49
Printing Presses—Larger size than above prints from 2½x3¾ with regular type, ink, cards and tweezers. Special price..... $10.98
Weight, 20 pounds

NEW "1925" MODEL MYSTERY SPEEDBOAT

The best steam toy made; can of solid alcohol heat will run boat about 25 miles. Price, each..... 98c
Parcel post weight, 1 pound.

HUMPTY-DUMPTY CIRCUS TENT
Size 24x36 inches, 30 inches high. Price, without circus, each..... $3.79

HUMPTY-DUMPTY CIRCUS WITHOUT TENT
Prices as follows:
98c, $1.29, $1.98, $2.79

LAUNDRY SETS
Consisting of tub cloths, dryer cloths, pins, washboard. Price..... 59c
Parcel post weight, 1 pound.

TOONERVILLE TROLLEY
Price..... 69c
Parcel post weight, 1 pound.

RADIO
CRYSTAL RADIO SETS

An excellent receiver; bakelite panel, nicely finished; price with 1 pair phones..... $6.99
Set only..... $3.89
Phones only..... $2.98

"B" BATTERIES
BURGESS and EVEREADY
Fresh Stock Every Week
22½ volts..... $1.69
45 volts..... $3.29

17-TOOL Like Cut.
These Cabinets are the Schroeter's specially prepared. Cabinets are put up according to our idea with the best made STANLEY Tools.
Size 11 inches wide, 4 inches deep, 10 inches high.
Cabinet has one door instead of two. Price, complete with tools..... $14.95

20-TOOL CHEST
Size of Chest, 10½x4½ deep, 24¾ inches long. Contains 20 tools of first quality. Chest in dark mission finish. Price..... $18.95

17-TOOL CABINET
Price complete with 17 tools..... $24.58

33-TOOL CABINET
Price, complete with 33 tools..... $57.45

SCHROETER'S SPECIAL 24-INCH HAND SAWS

(WARRANTED)
These saws are tempered by an improved process; the teeth are hand filed and set ready for use. Special price, this sale, each... 98c
Parcel post weight, 2 pounds.

BOY TOY MAKER
Contains every essential for making wooden toys and novelties. Prices as follows:
$1.00 $2.00 $3.50 $5.00

CHRISTMAS TREE ELECTRIC LIGHTING OUTFITS
Operating from incandescent lamp circuit; assorted colored lamps.
PINE CONE SHAPE LONG-BURNING LAMPS

8-Lamp Outfit, $1.45
16-Lamp Outfit, $2.90
24-Lamp Outfit, $4.35
32-Lamp Outfit, $5.80

ARTIFICIAL CHRISTMAS TREES BUSHY AND THICK

Size 30 in., each			89c
Size	50 ins.	51 ins.	52 ins.
Each	$2.89	$3.29	$4.98
Size	60 ins.	68 ins.	74 ins.
Each	$6.89	$8.98	$12.49

CHRISTMAS TREE LAMPS
In following colors: Red, green, blue, orange and clear. Each..... 10c

IRON CHRISTMAS FENCE
Size, 2x2 feet. Price, each..... $2.00

CHRISTMAS TREE HOLDER (IRON)

Holds trees from 1 to 3 inches. Price, each..... $1.50
TREE HOLDER—
Holds water. Price..... $1.00
Large size..... $1.50

BOYS' AND GIRLS' BICYCLES

¾-in. seamless tubes, steel rims. Guaranteed pneumatic tires; New Departure coaster brake; color, red with black stripe; 18-inch frame. Special price..... $27.49
Girls' Bicycle..... $28.39

FAIRY BALL-BEARING VELOCIPEDES
⅞-inch tubing bicycle wheels; 1-inch tires. Prices:

3 to 4 years old. $10.69
4 to 6 years old. $12.39
6 to 8 years old. $15.49

SIDEWALK SCOOTER
8-inch steel disc wheels—⅝-inch rubber tires. Special..... $2.39

BOYS' ALL-STEEL COASTER WAGONS

Strongly Built and Neatly Finished.
All-steel disc wheels, 1-inch rubber tire. Special..... $5.85

WOOD COASTER WAGONS
14x32—
Price..... $6.95
14x34—
Price..... $7.95
18x38—
Price..... $8.89

ROW CYCLE HAND CAR
Is guided and steered by the handle bar; can be steered and operated around in small places.
Has wire wheels, cord tires, locked-over T rims; geared to run at 15 miles an hour, 9 ft. at one stroke; 7-inch ball-bearing wheels.
Two sizes—
$6.98
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SPECIAL PRICE
Fitted on shoes to fit your feet,
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LADIES' SKATES with toe clamp and leather on heel; sizes 8 to 10½. Prices, per pair, $1.75, $2.25, $3.25, $4.50
Men's or Boys' Skates to clamp on shoe; sizes 8 to 11. Prices, per pair 79c, $1.25, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00, $4.50
Skates without clamps to screw on shoes; sizes 8 to 11½. Prices, per pair $2.00, $3.50, $4.00, $5.00, $8.00, $13.50

SOCCER FOOTBALLS

Fine pebbled leather, canvas lined; complete with good rubber bladder and strong lace. Each..... $1.98
Parcel post weight, 1 pound

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Sheep tan leather; good, strong lacing and bladder. Price, each..... $2.29

"WINSLOW" SKATING OUTFIT

Skates riveted on shoes and shoes to fit your feet. Special price..... $4.98

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A REAL BARGAIN

Cracks nuts without crushing the kernel. Pecans can be cracked so that kernel can be extracted whole or in halves; 5 inches high.
SPECIAL
UNTIL LOT IS SOLD
59c
Regular Price $1.00
Parcel Post Weight 2 pounds.

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Our new improved "Home" Nutcracker, mounted on mahogany finished bowl, nicely polished and fitted with soft cloth on bottom to prevent scratching, bowl allows it to be used anywhere in the home. Special price, each..... $3.98
Parcel post weight, 2 pounds.

No. 3 "HOME" NUTCRACKER
For Table Use

Our new improved "Home" Nutcracker, mounted on mahogany finished board, nicely polished and fitted with soft cloth on bottom to prevent scratching; board allows it to be used anywhere in the home. Special price, each..... $1.39
Parcel post weight, 2 pounds.

SCHROETER BROS. HDW. CO. SPECIAL DELIVERY TOY TRUCK

Mechanical toy fitted with steel spring; length over all, 9 inches. Price..... 69c
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Will crack walnuts, hickory nuts or any large, hard-shell nuts with ease. The nut can be held between the fingers without danger to the operator, and is also supplied with an auxiliary attachment for cracking smaller nuts. Length over all, 18 inches. Special price, each..... 98c
Parcel post weight, 5 pounds.

BOYS' AUTOS
All of Our Toy Autos Are Attractively Finished and Moderately Priced.

Prices as follows:
$6.75 $7.49 $8.89 $10.69
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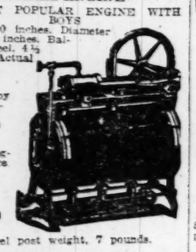
RADIO REX
A novelty toy which amuses both young and old. Just call the dog Rex and he comes jumping. Complete with battery..... $1.29
Parcel post weight, 1 pound.

UPRIGHT STEAM ENGINES

This little Steam Engine is a real working model; has steam chest, whistle, whistle valve, and throttle valve; made of polished sheet brass; it exhausts steam through the smokestack; height 10 in. Every engine is thoroughly tested and fully warranted. Special price..... $1.29 each
Parcel post weight, 2 pounds.

MODEL HORIZONTAL STEAM ENGINE
A MOST POPULAR ENGINE WITH BOYS
Size 8x10 inches. Diameter boiler, 3 inches. Balance wheel, 4½ inches. Actual steam-working model. Every toy steam engine sold by us is guaranteed to run. Regular price $10.00. Price, each, $6.89



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ELECTRICALLY HEATED HORIZONTAL STEAM ENGINE

With electric heater, boiler and other parts; nickel plated. Height, 7 inches; base, 3x8½. Complete with cord and plug. Special price. $10.89
Parcel post, 5 pounds.

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Made up as follows: Locomotive, Tender, Coach and Circular Track. Price, complete..... $1.79
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Will Run With Dry Batteries.
Complete with Electric Locomotive, Coach and 8 sections of curved track. Price, this sale..... $3.98
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For reducing lighting current to battery power; for operating electric toys; alternating current only; 110 volts, 60 cycle. Price..... $2.98
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One-Day Time, Similar to Cut.

Metal case, nickel-plated; all-brass movement; solid steel pallets; bright 3 inches, 2¾-inch bell on top of clock; 4-inch dial; Arabic figures. Special price..... 98c
Parcel post weight, 2 pounds.

JANITOR FURNACE CLOCKS
When alarm rings your draught doors open and your home begins to warm up. Will operate on steam, hot air or pipeless furnace.

Price, $5.50
Parcel post, 2 pounds.

ELECTRIC TOY RANGE

A real working model—it cooks, bakes and fries. Black enamel with nickel plate trimming. Size 8x11—15 inches high. Complete with cord and plug. $8.79
Parcel post, 9 pounds.

"EUREKA" ELECTRIC VACUUM CLEANER

FREE TRIAL
Complete set of attachments worth $8.50, FREE with every Grand Prize EUREKA Vacuum Cleaner purchased between now and Christmas. Free trial right in your own home. Only $4.75 down if you decide to keep the "EUREKA," 1925 model.

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Will grate almonds, nuts, bread, horseradish, potatoes, cocoanuts and other foods requiring grating. It does the work satisfactorily. For this week only, special price, $1.39

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Good, clear tone instrument will play records up to 10 inches; has special regulator stop. Special price..... $6.98
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FOR GILLETTE BLADES

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6-inch Japanned handles..... 98c

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Sewing Scissors, assorted sizes, 4 to 6 inch. Special..... 69c

CHILDREN'S NOVELTY HANDBAG
Made of leather..... 50c

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HARMONICA
Double reed special..... 19c

SCISSOR SETS
4½ and 6 inch special..... $1.48

"OFFICIAL" BOY SCOUT KNIVES

LOOK FOR THE EMBLEM
This is the official Boy Scout Knife. Price, each..... $1.50
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EMBLEM POCKET KNIVES PEARL HANDLE
With emblems of various lodges and orders. Put up in satin-lined leather case. Price each..... $7.00

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Has adjustable lens and No. 1 lamp and ½ doz. glass slides. Special price, this sale, complete— 98c

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Catches and bats the ball the same as an actual game on the field. Special price..... $3.48
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FREE—With each saw we include free catalog of scroll saw designs, wood tools and trimmings.

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Choose now from our vast stock of Lamps which have just arrived and are being shown on our floors. Early choice has decided advantages for you.
Special Sale of Bridge Lamps. With Silk Shades.
$14.75
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Large Display Chiffoniers
Our special for this week is the one illustrated. Easily worth $25.00. Special Price..... $19.75
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26-Piece Set of Silver Plate
For your own use or as a Christmas gift. It is a very attractive pattern; easily worth $15. Special Christmas price..... $9.95
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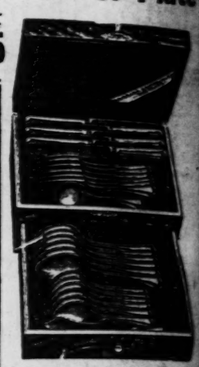

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With 12 Double Records, 24 Selections FREE..... $69.75
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Cozy 3-Room Outfit, $197.50
TERMS—$8.00 PER MONTH
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De Luxe 3-Room Outfit, $395.75
TERMS—$15.00 PER MONTH

Special Christmas Sale
of 42 and 100 piece Old Oaken Bucket pattern
DINNER SETS
This is an exclusive pattern. Must be seen to be appreciated. The pieces and design are exactly as shown in illustration.
42-piece Set is..... $8.45
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$150.00 Living-Room Suites, now..... $119.50
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BRITISH SCHOONER WITH $800,000 RUM CARGO SEIZED

Two-Masted Vessel, Bound for New York, Has Crew of Eight.

By the Associated Press.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Dec. 20. The two-masted British schooner J. Duffy, with liquor said by officials to be valued at $800,000, and a crew of eight British subjects, was captured today.

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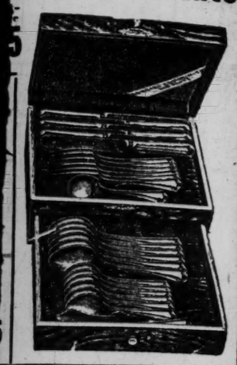

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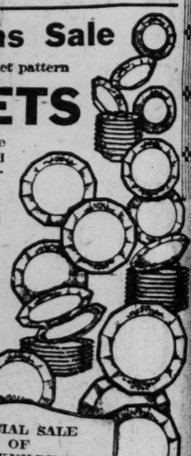

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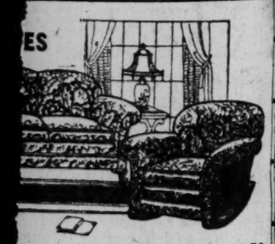

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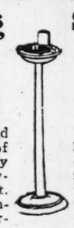
Base standard and ash tray holder of metal; handsomely decorated in polychrome effect. Glass ash tray included. No mail orders.



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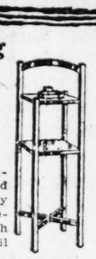
Base and standard of wood in mahogany finish. Removable ash tray. No mail orders.



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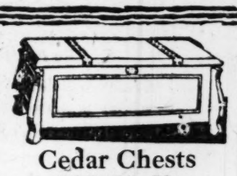

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Movable Foot Rest, $3.49
10 inches high, 13 inches wide, 17 inches long. Several period designs. Mahogany finish. Upholstery in velour, mohair, tapestry or silk brocade.

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Victrola Outfit
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$18.75
25 inches high, 13¾ inches deep, 24 inches wide. Plays records as large as 10 inch.

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Strongly made of solid oak. Dull rubbed golden oak finish. No mail orders.

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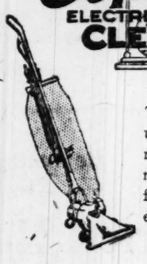

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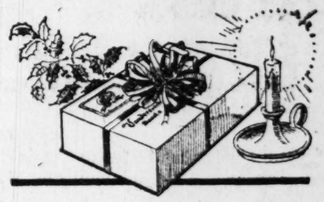

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American Line, White Star Line, Joint service	11th and Pine Sts. (Majestic Hotel). St. Louis.	
N. Y. to Plymouth, Cherbourg, Hamburg.		
MINNEKAHDA	Dec. 24	
*ARABIC	Feb. 25 Apr. 1	May 6
Anchor Line, 1153 Olive St., St. Louis.		
New York to Londonderry and Glasgow		
CAMERONIA (new)	Dec. 27 Jan. 31	Feb. 28
*ASSYRIA	Jan. 3 Feb. 14	Apr. 9
*COLUMBIA	Jan. 17 Feb. 21	Mar. 21
Atlantic Transport, 11th and Pine Sts. (Majestic Hotel Bldg.).		
N. Y. to Cherbourg, London.		
MINNETONKA (new)	Dec. 27 Jan. 31	Feb. 28
MINNEWASKA (new)	Jan. 17 Feb. 14	Mar. 14
MINNEKAHDA	Feb. 7 Mar. 7	Apr. 4
Cunard Line, 1153 Olive St., St. Louis.		
N. Y. to Cherbourg and Southampton		
AQUITANIA	Jan. 3 Feb. 21	Mar. 14
BERENGARIA	Jan. 17 Feb. 7	Feb. 28
N. Y. to Cobh (Queenstown), Liverpool.		
†ATRANTA (new)	Dec. 20 Jan. 31	Mar. 7
*CARONIA	Jan. 10 Feb. 14	†Mar. 14
*LANCASTRIA (new)	†Jan. 24 Feb. 21	†Mar. 21
*CARMANIA	†Feb. 28	†Mar. 28 May 2
†Via Halifax.		
Fastest to Cobh (Queenstown), Liverpool.		
*CARONIA	Jan. 11	
*LANCASTRIA (new)	Feb. 22	Mar. 22
N. Y. to Plymouth-Cherbourg-London.		
*SAXONIA	Jan. 3 Feb. 28	Apr. 25
*CANTONIA	†Jan. 17 †Feb. 21	Mar. 28
*AURONIA (new)	†Jan. 31 †Mar. 7	Apr. 11
*ANDANIA (new)	†Via Halifax.	†Mar. 21
French Line, 210 N. 10th St., St. Louis.		
N. Y. to Plymouth-Havre-Paris.		
PARIS	Jan. 7 Jan. 28	Mar. 22
FRANCE	Jan. 14 Feb. 4	Feb. 28
N. Y. to Havre-Paris.		
*LA SAVOIE	Dec. 30 Jan. 24	Feb. 25
*ROCHAMBEAU	Jan. 3 Mar. 14	Apr. 25
*DE GRASSE (new)	Feb. 18 Mar. 18	Apr. 15
*ROCHAMBEAU	June 17 July 16	Aug. 26
N. Y. to Vigo (Spain-Portugal).		
*LA BOURDON'S	Dec. 30 Feb. 9	Mar. 23
*ROCHAMBEAU	Jan. 20 Mar. 2	Apr. 13
*CHICAGO	July 4 Aug. 17	Sept. 28
Holland American Line, 200 N. 12th St., St. L.		
N. Y. to Plymouth, Boulogne-sur-Mer, Rotterdam.		
*STATENDAM (new)	Dec. 27 Apr. 11	May 18
RYNDAM	Jan. 3	
VEENDAM (new)	Jan. 17 Feb. 21	Mar. 28
NEW AMSTERDAM	Feb. 7 Mar. 14	Apr. 18
ROTTERDAM	May 2 June 6	July 11
Hamburg American Line (The Twin-Screw American Liners)		
Italian Lloyd (Sabaudia), 312 S. Clark, Chi. N. Y. to Naples and Genoa.		
CONTE VERDE	Jan. 24 Mar. 7	Apr. 11
CONTE ROSSO	Feb. 7 Mar. 21	June 17
Italian Line (N. G. I.), 203 S. Dearborn St., Chicago. N. Y. to Naples and Genoa.		
DUILIO	Jan. 6 Feb. 14	Mar. 26
COLOMBO	Feb. 3 Mar. 14	Apr. 18
No. German Lloyd, 160 N. La Salle St., Chi. N. Y.-Plymouth-Cherbourg-Bremen		
COLUMBUS	Jan. 6	MUENCHEN, Feb. 3
STUTTGART	Jan. 20	STUTTGART, Feb. 24
Red Star Line, 11th and Pine Sts. (Majestic Hotel Bldg.), St. Louis. N. Y. to Plymouth, Cherbourg, Antwerp.		
*ZEELAND	Dec. 31 Jan. 28	Feb. 24
*PITTSBURG	Feb. 12 Mar. 12	Apr. 16
LAPLAND	June 9	July 7
Royal Mail, 117 W. Washington, Chicago. N. Y.-Cherbourg-Southampton-Hamburg		
*OHIO	Dec. 31 Feb. 17	Mar. 28
*ORDUNA	†Jan. 28	†Mar. 18 †Apr. 28
*ORBITA	†Apr. 18	†May 16 †Jun 13
†Calls at Halifax. ‡Omits Hamburg.		
Scandinavian-American Line, 117 N. Dearborn St., Chicago. N. Y.-Norway-Sweden-Denmark-Finland		
*OSCAR II	Jan. 3	Mar. 19 Apr. 30
*HELLIG OLAV	Jan. 29	Mar. 26 May 14
FREDERIK VIII	Feb. 17	Apr. 1 May 19
*UNITED STATES	Mar. 5	Apr. 16 May 28
Swedish Amer. Line, 70 E. Jackson, Chicago New York to Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Finland and Baltic States.		
STOCKHOLM	Jan. 10	Feb. 14 Mar. 21
DROTTNINGHOLM	Jan. 24	Feb. 28 Apr. 4
United American Lines, Joint Service with Hamburg American Line, N. Y. to Cherbourg-Southampton-Hamburg.	171 W. Randolph St., Chicago.	
AUGUST BALLIN	Dec. 27	
RELIANCE	Mar. 28	Apr. 21 May 19
ABSOLUTE	Apr. 7	May 5 June 2
N. Y. to Boulogne, RIM, Dover, Hamburg.		
DEUTSCHLAND	Jan. 8	Feb. 10 Apr. 2
*CLEVELAND	Jan. 22	Mar. 5 Apr. 16
ALBERT BALLIN	Feb. 5	Mar. 19 Apr. 30
N. Y. to Cobh (Queenstown), Hamburg.		
*THURINGIA	†Dec. 31	Feb. 14 Mar. 28
*MOUNT CLAY	Jan. 17	Feb. 28 Apr. 11
*WESTPHALIA	Jan. 31	Mar. 14 Apr. 25
†Hamburg direct.		
White Star Line, 11th and Pine Sts. (Majestic Hotel Bldg.), St. Louis. N. Y. to Cherbourg, Southampton.		
OLYMPIC	Dec. 27	Feb. 14 Mar. 7
MAJESTIC	Jan. 10	Jan. 31 Mar. 21
N. Y. to Cobh (Queenstown) & Liverpool.		
CEDRIC	Dec. 27	Jan. 31 Feb. 28
*REGINA	†Jan. 3	—— ——
*WINIFREDIAN	Jan. 10	—— ——
*DORIC	Jan. 17	Apr. 25 ——
*DEVONIAN	Jan. 24	—— ——
BALTIC	Feb. 7	Mar. 7 Apr. 4
CELTIC	Feb. 14	Mar. 14 Apr. 11
*PITTSBURG	†Via Halifax.	

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C. J. GONTERMAN FILES FIVE SUITS FOR LIBEL

Damages Amounting to $250,000 Sought From Accusers in Bankruptcy Proceeding.

Five libel suits asking a total of $250,000 were filed yesterday by Courtney J. Gonterman, president of the C. J. Gonterman Realty and Development Co., Central National Bank Building, against five men and women who filed an involuntary petition in bankruptcy against the company on Nov. 20.

The bankruptcy petition was dismissed last Wednesday when Federal Judge Davis upheld a motion by company counsel who contended allegations in the petition were not verified and could not be sustained and that the court lacked jurisdiction.

The bankruptcy petitioners had charged Gonterman with obtaining amounts aggregating $3890 from them by "false and fraudulent misrepresentations." These charges, Gonterman now alleges, were "false and malicious," exposed Gonterman to "hatred, contempt and ridicule," deprived him of "public confidence and social intercourse" and otherwise injured his "good name, fame and reputation."

The petitioners in the unsuccessful bankruptcy suit, who are now sued for $50,000 each, are: Harry Greenspan, 1335 Blackstone avenue. Nettie Bolgard, 4151 Cleveland avenue; Magdalen Bolgard, 3222 Dakota street; Walter L. Colby, 549 Sunnyside, Webster Groves, and Faith N. Nolkemper, Bristol Building, Webster Groves.

A receivership suit against the Mid-Continent Finance Corporation, of which Gonterman also is president, is now under consideration by Circuit Judge Frey, testimony having been heard in November.

Jaccard's

Most unusual in the world of precious gems is a Jaccard "Star Sapphire." A genuine gem with a rare star marking. Set in a platinum design of corresponding beauty, and in the design are settings of fine diamonds. *$600*

Illustrated above. Platinum mounting for solitaire. In a very fine pierced design, embellished with eighteen diamonds in decorative effects. One of the many we are offering at a very marked price concession. The one illustrated, regular $235 value. Special at *$156.67*

The Vogue of the Little Finger Ring

Finds response in the colorful choices at Jaccard's.

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In the diamond section, a very splendid assortment, diamond set, and embellished, at prices ranging from *$50 to $75*

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In the ring section, Topaz, Amethyst, Birthstones, Onyx and other attractive gems, in an assortment certain of satisfaction, and priced below *$30*

Navarre Pearls

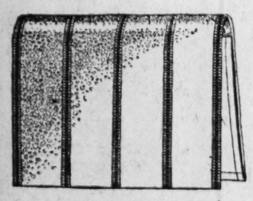
Each Pearl of creamy richness, radiant reproductions that inspire with the luster of original Orientals.

Chokers with sterling silver back clasp and gem decoration in clasp, *$10.00*

30-inch strands, 14-karat white gold clasp, *$11.00*

60-inch strands, choice of many selections. Prices begin at *$15.00*

60-inch strand, Black Navarre Pearls, *$22.50*



Austrian Hand-Tooled Leathers

Traveling Purses for women, as illustrated, of fine leather and decoratively tooled as shown, *$15*

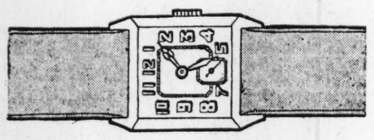
Writing Portfolios at *$11.00*

Desk Sets and many attractive gift items of our own importation at appealing prices.

We cordially invite your inspection of our very fine display in Diamonds and Diamond Jewelry.

Select your Christmas Gifts in the largest exclusive Jewelry establishment in Saint Louis.

Solid 14-karat white gold rectangular Wrist Watch; 15-jewel movement. Engraved sides and borders, *$20*



Men's Strap Watches

With increasing momentum men favor the Strap Watch, at *$25.75;* and at less, too. Also fine Longines and Lecoultre Watches.

$145 *$165* *$275*

At $145, $165 and $275

Three price choices, within which we offer very appealing values in Diamond Rings. Each Ring within these three groups is different, assuring individuality to the wearer. Each Ring is of all-platinum.

Open Stock in Sterling Silver

Solves many a gift problem. Begin a fine set of Sterling, or add to the present Silver Service, and in the same pattern—these are the advantages of the Open-Stock Service at Jaccard's, and with over twenty patterns from which to make a choice. Many of these patterns can be obtained only at Jaccard's.

Showing the new "double effect" bracelet. Of filigree design, with platinum overlay. Central Motif of three genuine amethysts with two white diamonds. *$110*

Only one of the large number of beautiful Bracelets, with prices ranging from $58 to over $4000.

Solid 18-karat white gold rectangular Watch of very dainty design. Has fine Lecoultre movement and two fine diamonds in ornamental ends. *$59.50*

Five-Dollar Gifts

Both the Sterling and the Silver Plate Departments have added materially to their Five-Dollar items. Providing altogether a most satisfactory response to the demand for something worthwhile and yet inexpensive.

Jaccard's
Exclusive Jewelers
LOCUST at NINTH

See Other Important Announcements on Two Following Pages

Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney

"The Store of the Christmas Spirit"

Store Hours: 9:00 Until 6:00 P. M. *Olive to Locust From Ninth to Tenth*

A Special Last-Three Days Christmas Sale of

Women's Bracelet Watches

At Savings of About

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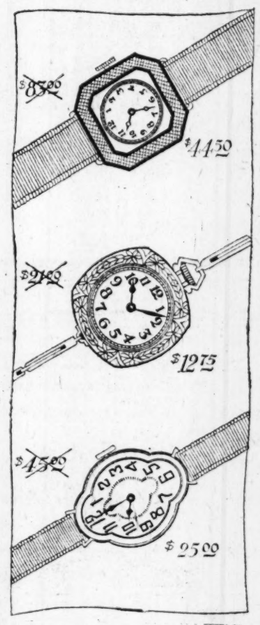


EMPHATIC savings for those planning the Christmas gift of a Bracelet Watch because these are most accurate timepieces—guaranteed—and some have 7 and 15 jewel movements. Cases are dainty affairs, many showing pretty etched designs—exceptionally attractive dials. Limited quantities only in each group.

Solid Gold Bracelet Watches, Sale Priced $18.75 to $72.50
Gold-Filled Bracelet Watches, Sale Priced $12.75 to $18.75
Sterling Silver Bracelet Watches, Sale Priced $16.25 to $26.50

$21.00 Watches	*$12.75*	$55.00 Watches	*$30*
$25.00 Watches	*$15*	$58.50 Watches	*$32*
$27.50 Watches	*$16.25*	$60.00 Watches	*$33*
$32.95 Watches	*$18.75*	$67.50 Watches	*$36.50*
$34.00 Watches	*$19.50*	$83.00 Watches	*$44.50*
$38.50 Watches	*$22*	$98.00 Watches	*$51.75*
$45.00 Watches	*$25*	$110 Watches	*$57.50*
$50.00 Watches	*$27.50*	$135 Watches	*$70.50*
		$155 Watches	*$79.50*

Vandervoort's Jewelry Shop—First Floor.

There Is Yet Plenty of Choice Among Vandervoort

Gift Hosiery for Christmas

Offering Last-Minute Gifts That Will Please

Women's Sheer Silk Hosiery
$1.55

Fine texture Hosiery that has the appearance of costing far, far more. Colors are gunmetal, beige, French nude, nude and white. Every pair perfect—every pair reinforced with lisle for service.

Women's All-Silk Hosiery
$1.95

Such a pleasing group to buy from for there is every smart shade women are asking for, such as beige, French nude, gunmetal, bunny, nude, black and white; full-fashioned, all-silk weaves.

Women's Service Silk Hosiery
$3.00

These fit the foot particularly well and are in the finer Christmas gift weaves. These are all silk, full-fashioned, and in nude, gray, beige, jackrabbit.

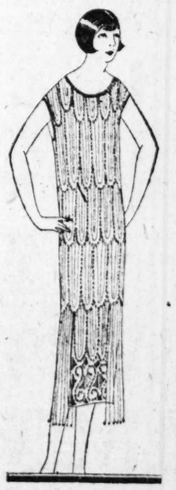
Children's Three-Quarter Silk Socks—White, pink, buck, black, cordovan. Sizes 8 to 9½ $1.00

Children's Silk Half Socks—White, pink, sky, lavender, peach, black, cordovan, 75c

Women's and Children's Hosiery Shops—First Floor.

Beginning Monday Morning —a Remarkable Selling of

Fabrics, Robes and Tunics for Holiday Festivities



$10 *$15* *$19.75* *$25*

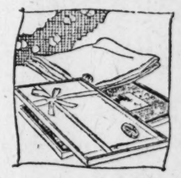
AN event of great importance for those who will select an afternoon or evening gown for Christmas and holiday festivities starts Monday. Tunics and Robes from France just recently arrived on the SS. Olympic and every one marked at a very low price.

Straightline, sleeveless and short sleeve models for afternoon and evening wear. Georgette crepe, net and crepe de chine beaded and spangled. Daytime and evening shades, including black, old rose, white, brown, orchid, American beauty, green, russet, beige, gray, pink, blue, jade and others.

Trimmings Shop—Main Floor.

Just Two of the Many Gift Groups

Yuletide Handkerchiefs



At Special Prices

Women's Handkerchiefs
6 for $1.25

These are all-linen, initialed in an attractive novelty motif; ¼-inch hems; neatly boxed. Regular 25c value.

Men's Boxed Handkerchiefs
3 in Box, 79c

New arrivals, specially priced for Monday's selling. Initials in fancy design; ¼-inch hems. Assortment of three colors to box.

Handkerchief Shop—First Floor.

A Gift to Please a Boy

$6 Boys' Watch

$4.25

A Watch that meets a boy's every requirement and need. Thin model, nickel case, fitted with 7-jewel silver dial, guaranteed movement. This Watch is complete with safety chain belt attached.

Vandervoort's Jewelry Shop—First Floor.

Lasting Mementoes of Christmas

Fountain Pens and Pencils

Wahl, Waterman, Sheaffer or Conklin self-filling Fountain Pens; all sizes and styles $2.50 to $10

Pen and Pencil Sets
Silver plated, sterling silver and gold filled $6.50 to $21

Ribbon Guards—For pens and pencils 50c

All-Metal Fountain Pens
Silver plated, sterling silver and gold filled, $5 to $15

Eversharp Pencils
Silver plated, sterling silver and gold filled, $1 to $20
In solid gold $35

Stationery Shop—First Floor.

Put Your Hair Up

For the Holidays

A LITTLE extra Hair will do it for you. Select any hair-dressing style you fancy. We'll do the rest.

For Monday

Switches and Transformations
Regularly $12.50 to $19.95, All shades, including gray $10

Oil Permanent Wave Special
Bobbed Hair, Whole Head $15 | *Long Hair, Whole Head $20*

Hair Beauty Shop—Third Floor.

Electric Christmas Wreath
$2.10

A VERY attractive red Wreath decorated with green holly. Equipped with a light bulb inside and cord, ready to attach.

Vandervoort Electric Shop—Basement

Straw Waste Baskets
Regularly $1.25 to $2.25

Imported Straw Baskets in various colors. In round, square and oval shapes. Neatly and strongly made. *For $1.00*

Offered at Special Prices for Christmas
Housefurnishings—Basement.

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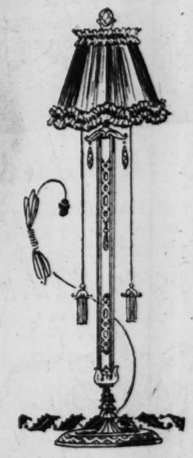

Iron Floor Lamp
Of distinctive design. Handsome Georgette shade beautifully trimmed.
Complete, $59.50

End Table Lamp
Well-balanced iron base in gold and colors. Decorated shade to match.
Complete, $7.49

Visit the …

A Christmas Gift of Lastin…

Electric Sewing …

Lark Portable Model
$45
Regularly $60.00
Westinghouse motor built in head.
Has attractive carrying case of walnut.
Covered with a 10-year guarantee.
A limited quantity only.

One-Day Spec…
$22.00 Allowance for … ing Machine …
Free Westinghouse Machine.

Terms as low as $1.00 week…
We also repair all makes …
Phone Olive 7500.
VANDERVOORT'S—…

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Store Open Until 6 P. M. Daily

Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney

Olive and Locust From Ninth to Tenth

"The Store of the Christmas Spirit"

A Wonderland of Gifts Awaits Your Selection Monday

The Final Choice—Assuring and Pleasing

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Of distinctive design. Handsome Georgette shade beautifully trimmed.

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Well-balanced iron base in gold and colors. Decorated shade to match.

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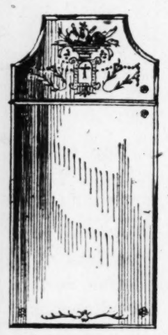
Found in the Shop of a Thousand Gifts—

The Vandervoort Art Shops on the Fourth Floor



Venetian Mirrors

As Illustrated

$55

Others in ovals of various size.

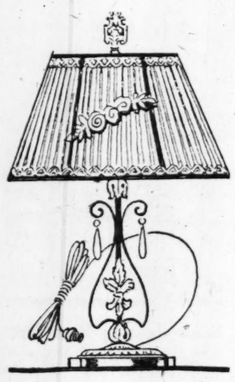
$7.50 and $16.00

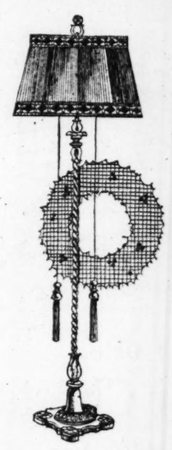
Christmas Candles

In every color—round, twisted, long or short—whatever the need may be.

10c to $2.50

PICTURES always denote more than the usual interest and thought in gift selection. Here you may select from old and well-known subjects or the very latest; for instance, our charming French etchings.





Metal Lamp

Of excellent proportions. Twisted shaft and well-designed base. Black—Georgette over Tangerine silk makes the effective shade.

Complete, $39.50

At Left Is a

Wrought Iron Lamp

Of pleasing design with attractive shade trimmed with French organdie flowers.

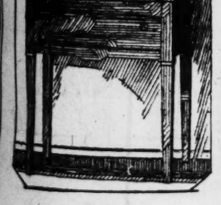
Complete, $12.50

Visit the Gallery of Antiques on the Fourth Floor

Art Shop—Fourth Floor.

A Christmas Gift of Lasting Remembrance

Electric Sewing Machines



$100 Desk Model

Special

$85

Case of beautiful American walnut with Westinghouse motor built in the head. Has all attachments, and is fully guaranteed.

A $15.00 saving on this model.

Lark Portable Model

$45

Regularly $60.00

Westinghouse motor built in head.

Has attractive carrying case of walnut.

Covered with a 10-year guarantee.

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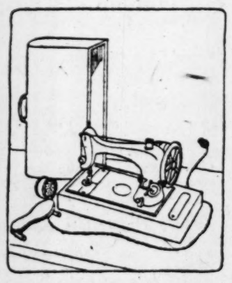


One-Day Special Offer

$22.00 Allowance for any drophead Sewing Machine on the purchase of a Free Westinghouse Machine. Prices begin at $90.00

Terms as low as $1.00 weekly.

We also repair all makes of Sewing Machines. Phone Olive 7500.

VANDERVOORT'S—BASEMENT.

At Special Gift Prices

Vandervoort Luggage

PRACTICAL and sure to please, are any of these appropriate gift selections. Priced low for Christmas selling.

Wardrobe Trunks

$30.00

Made to conform to Vandervoort's specifications. Fitted with all the latest improvements. With durable imitation leather lining. Only a limited quantity at this price.

Gladstone Bags

$19.75

Made of black or tan genuine cowhide leather. Leather lined. Division board and pocket. In 22-inch size. A very special value at this price.

Hatboxes

$14.95

Vandervoort's Special Hatbox, black enameled and with extra good quality of lining. Carries from two to four hats conveniently. Eighteen inch, round style.

Fitted Suitcases

$29.50

Made of black grain cowhide leather, with very good-looking imitation amber and shell fittings. Removable tray. In the practical 22-inch size.

VANDERVOORT'S—BASEMENT.

Useful Gifts Are These—

Boy Scout Knives

$1.25

With a stag handle, and four good steel blades.

Also two or three blade pocketknives, with stag handles. In leather case, only 95c

$2.25 to $2.75 pearl handle Pocketknives, with two or three blades. In leather pouch case, only $1.50

Cutlery Shop—First Floor.

P. S.—A handy gift for a man is our Combination Shaving and Hand Mirror, priced $1.00

Men's House Slippers

$6

A SLIPPER that will be worn with pride because it is more than a mere house Slipper. The Cavelier Boot comes in golden brown and red kid with hand-turned soles.

A large Christmas gift assortment offers many desirable models from which to select. Prices are $4, $4.50, $5, $5.50 and $6.

An unusual assortment of felt Slippers are priced from $2.00 to $3.50.

Men's Shoe Shop—Second Floor.

Low Priced for Christmas

Women's Felt Slippers

Only 97c Pair

COMFORT and warmth are to be found in these felt bedroom slippers, at an unusually low price.

Prettily trimmed with ribbon and pompon; with soft cushion soles and heels. In choice of taupe, gray Copenhagen blue, ecru and many other desirable boudoir shades. A gift selection sure to be appreciated.

Women's Shoe Shop—Second Floor.

For the Holidays

Player Rolls

JUST three more shopping days before Christmas—and we have all the latest hits and beautiful Christmas Rolls for you to enjoy during the Holidays. Listed are a few Q. R. S. Rolls that are very melodious:

"Monipol"
"Unita"
"Tea Party" } *Each 75c*
"Poinsettia"

We will gladly play these for you.

Player Roll Shop—Sixth Floor.

Christmas Selections at Low Prices

AL-LON NOTIONS AL-LON

Shoe Pockets $1.25

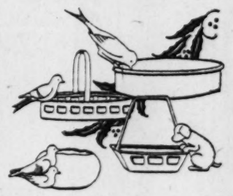
The convenient kind that hangs on the door. Of extra heavy ticking in colored cretonne patterns, in blue, gray, green. Six roomy pockets. Metal eyelets.

"Speciola" Hair Nets

95c Dozen

Regularly $1.50 Doz.

American Lady make. Single or double mesh, cap or fringe shape. All colors except white and gray.



New Imported Pin Trays

Only 50c Each

Of china, in lovely light tints, with dainty china birds, dogs, mice perched at the side in novel effect. Nice for gifts, fulfilling a dozen household needs.

Laundry Bags Each $1.75

31 inches long by 25 inches wide. Made of good heavy ticking in pretty cretonne effects.

Choice of rose, blue, gray, green.

Sterling Silver Thimbles, Only 19c Each

Bright, new Thimbles, very desirable for Christmas giving. Beautiful carved designs. Space for engraving, if desired. All sizes, 6 to 12.

3600 Martex Wash Cloths, 6 for 69c

These are mill ends that sell regularly for 15c to 25c in first quality. Some have very slight imperfections, many are nearly perfect. Large and small sizes. Plain and fancy borders.

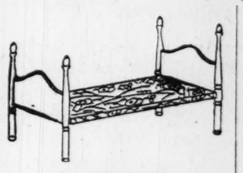
NOTION SHOP—FIRST FLOOR.

Only Three More Shopping Days for These

Toys at Special Prices

Visit Santa and Receive a Free Cutout!

SANTA'S little visitors are being presented with a wonderful, big, brightly colored Toy Shop Cut-Out, absolutely free. Loads of fun—every boy and girl should be sure to receive one.



Doll Beds

$2.25

Four-post style, in mahogany finish. 30 inches long. A very pretty bed for dolly's slumbers.

Table and Chairs

$14.95

Regularly $18

Round style Table with two Chairs. Beautifully enameled in ivory, with blue decorations.

Pool Table

$17.95

Folding legs, well constructed Complete with two cues, set of balls and ball rack.

Smaller size Table, complete with cues, 12 balls and rack, $6.95

Santa in Sleigh

89c

A delightful mechanical toy. Santa rides in the sleigh, driving his reindeers.

Come in and see the Electric Train that starts and stops with Radio Control.

Kindergarten Chairs

$1.75

Regularly $2.25

Chairs well constructed and finished in dark oak. For youngsters from three to seven years.

Toy Shop—Basement.

Shooflys

$4.75 Each

Beautifully finished in bright colors. Shaped like a duck. A splendid toy for little tots.

Special Christmas Box of

Temtor

Goodies—1 Case, 12 Jars—Complete, $4.25

A special assortment of 12 Jars—one each of peach, pineapple, strawberry, raspberry, blackberry, cherry preserves, apple butter, mincemeat, currant jelly, stuffed manzanillas, queen olives, sweet pickles; with an anchor jar opener.

These are carefully packed in an individual box, each jar wrapped in Christmas paper. Ready for immediate delivery as you instruct, or for shipment by express or parcel post to friends.

Phone Shoppers' Aid—Olive 7500 or On Display

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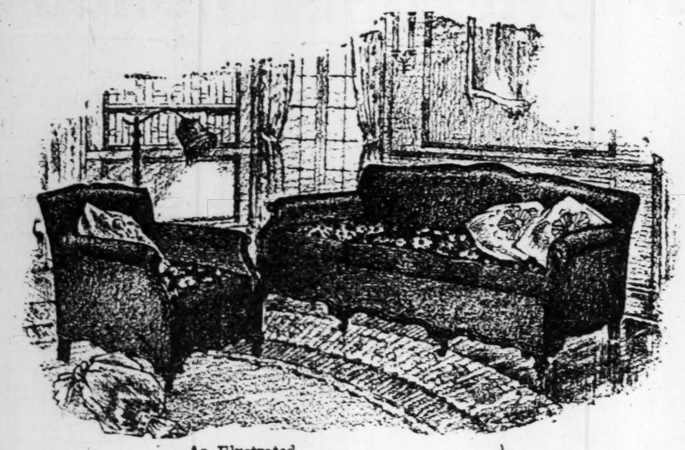

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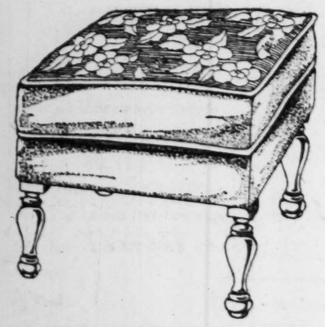

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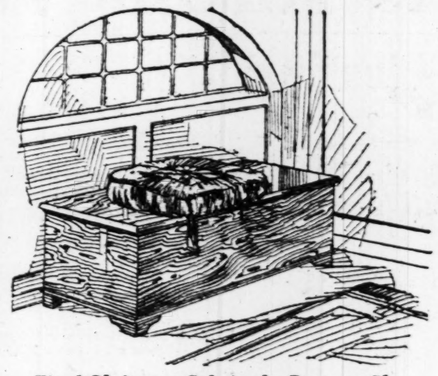

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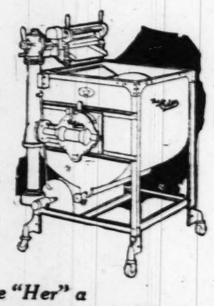

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Gift Suggestions for the Home

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9-cup size, special $3.25
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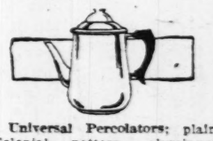

Universal Percolators; plain Colonial pattern, aluminum body; 9-cup size, $5; 6-cup size $4.50

Wear-Ever Percolator, aluminum body, 9-cup size $4.79

Crystal Bowl Sets, consisting of 5 bowls; 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 inch sizes respectively; Set 79c

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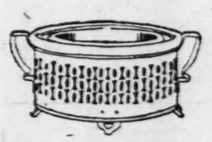
Other styles $5 to $15 Set

Bird Cages, brass with etched and decorated glass, seed guards $6.50 to $15

Bird Cage Stands, brass finish $7.50



Pyrex Casserole Dish, nickel-plated frame $3

Pie Dish, Pyrex, nickel-plated frame $2.25 and $3.00

Child's Pyrex Baking Set, 6 pieces; set $2

Kitchen Table, white enameled base, porcelain enameled top $8.50 to $48

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Universal Mayonnaise Mixer; with glass bowl and oil dripper $3.50

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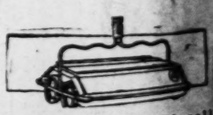
Cream Whip Set, consisting of whipper and bowl; special



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With the construction being pushed on route 2, as the Victory highway is designated in Missouri, a remarkable opportunity is seen by road engineers for development of the most spectacular highway undertaking in the United States through adoption of some such plan as is urged by the women of Columbia.

Of major interest to St. Louis and Kansas City by reason of the direct connections east and west it offers, the Victory highway is of even greater importance from the standpoint of transcontinental highway development in that it will be the first "bridge" over the dirt roads which reach west some hundreds of miles from the Mississippi River in Iowa or Missouri.

With the extension of the present 60-foot right of way to 100 feet and the planting of trees, a model stretch of highway would be supplied, according to road building engineers. For not only is this route about 30 miles shorter than the shortest railway from St. Louis to Kansas City, but it is free from right-angled turns, has easy grades and has no railroad grade crossings.

ONE OF BRONZE MEMORIALS ALONG VICTORY HIGHWAY

HOW TO TELL WHETHER AIR CLEANER WILL PAY

Advisability of Installing Device Depends on Way "Gas" Is Preheated.

It is a foregone conclusion that the air drawn into a gasoline engine should be cleaned as a protection to the cylinders as well as to the carburetor. There are several satisfactory air cleaners on the market. The only question is, whether such a device can be used on a particular car with complete success.

The answer is found in the method of preheating gasoline on the car. When the fine cold weather performance of the engine depends upon hot air taken from a "stove" around the exhaust manifold, addition of an air cleaner may cause difficult starting. But if the preheating is accomplished after the mixture leaves the carburetor, by means of a hot spot in the intake manifold, substitution of an air-cleaning device in place of the "stove" will not affect the efficiency or performance of the engine adversely.

Since most of the new cars are using hot spots instead of stoves, air cleaners usually can be attached with every assurance of success.

If possible, it is best to attach the device near the dash and as high up as possible. This enables it to draw the warmest air in cold weather.

DEALERS' ORDERS MAY DECIDE FATE OF AUTO MERGERS

Consolidation Trend May Be Halted for Another Year if There Is Business for All Factories.

By a Special Correspondent.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Automobile manufacturers are busied with vigorous preparations for the New York and Chicago shows. But the trend of the industry in 1925 is going to depend more on what the dealers tell the manufacturers about the possible sales demand than upon the models the makers are able to show dealers and public.

Many of the big companies have already brought out their stock models for 1925 and the changes, according to engineers in close touch with developments will consist mostly of "refinements," although some artistic souls may not regard the flashy colors of the new bodies as coming under that head.

Dealers May Decide.

What the dealers tell the manufacturers, however, may affect prices and rates of production and may decide the fate of several rumored consolidations.

Whether price levels will be allowed to stand will depend on the volume of consumer demand with which dealers are supposed to be in close touch.

There have been indications as the year drew to a close that some companies might consolidate to coordinate sales facilities and cut overhead and manufacturing costs. But if consumer demand is heavy in the early part of 1925, indicating that there is business enough to go around, some prices may be increased and the long expected era of consolidations and mergers may be postponed to another year.

Manufacturers have not lost faith in the recuperative power of the industry, and are confident that demand is still far from the saturation point. Their experience in 1924 substantiates this. The outstanding achievement of the year was the disposal of a vast stock of cars without seriously affecting the market or bankrupting a single important company.

Remarkable Feat.

The year started with nearly every company working at capacity in anticipation of bigger business than in 1923. It soon became apparent such business was not coming. Huge stocks of cars were piled up, nearly twice the normal "float."

By midsummer this vast amount of merchandise was disposed of without upsetting the industry financially. This is regarded as one of the remarkable feats in the history of American industry, and emphasizes the extreme flexibility of production machinery as well as the absorptive power of the public.

Interesting Experiment.

The experiment of Macy & Co., large department store here, in providing free garage space for customers' cars, which has just gone into effect, is being closely watched for its effect on the automobile industry, on traffic and on department store merchandising. Cars of those shoppers who drive themselves are taken to the garage by store chauffeurs and returned when the shopper is ready to leave. A rest room is provided for customers' chauffeurs, where they may wait calls from their employers.

The store insures customers' cars against theft, fire or damage when in the garage and between the garage and the store if the car is driven by a store chauffeur.

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Missouri River Bridges May Be Open Jan. 1

Builders Try to Put New Spans at Lexington and Glasgow in Condition to Carry Auto Traffic by First of Year.

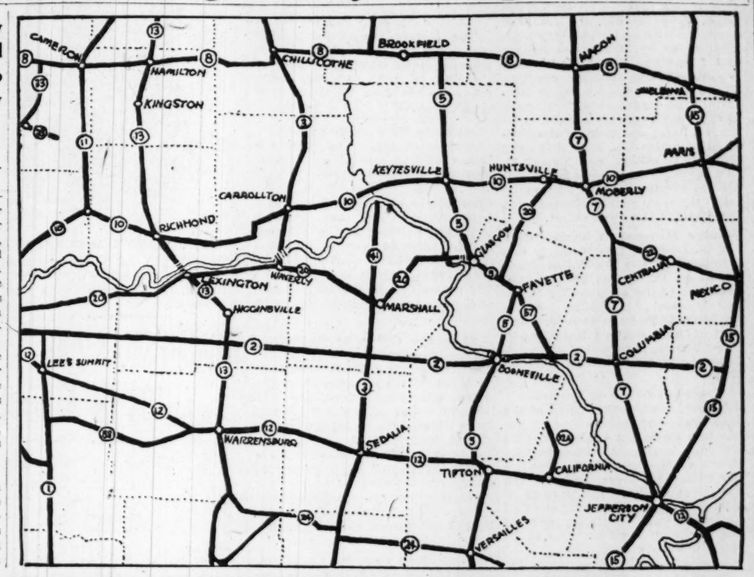
By the Jefferson City Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 20.—Three free bridges for vehicular traffic across the Missouri River are nearing completion at Glasgow, Waverly and Lexington, and will be ready for traffic early next year. With the free bridge at Boonville already in use, four main arteries will be available in the western half of Missouri for carrying traffic over the river.

Formerly there were no free bridges across the Missouri River in the western half of the State and at present there is none across the Missouri in the eastern half. Toll bridges are located at St. Charles, Jefferson City and Kansas City.

Hasten Opening of Bridges.

The four new bridges in Western Missouri, which will be under the control of the State Highway Commission and form important links in the State highway system, will cost approximately $3,000,000 when completed. The funds have been provided by the abutting counties, private subscription and approximately one-half by Federal aid.



Above—Map showing roads to and from the three bridges being built across the Missouri river at Lexington, Waverly and Glasgow, in this State, and the span at Boonville. Below—the new bridge at Glasgow which will be open soon.

The bridge at Lexington, the largest of the four, will be usable by Jan. 1. It had been planned to have it opened about March 1, but the ferryboat at Lexington has been taken off and transferred down the river near St. Louis. So the engineers on the bridge are laying a temporary roadway which should be ready for automobile traffic the first of the year. Recent chilly weather has delayed pouring of the concrete bridge floor and painting the superstructure.

The ferry which has operated at Glasgow between Saline and Howard Counties for years also has been withdrawn for repairs and service elsewhere on the river. Steel work on the Glasgow bridge is reported to be finished, the principal work remaining being pouring the concrete floor and making the fill for the approach to the bridge on the Glasgow side. It is hoped that motor cars and teams will be able to use this bridge around the first of the year, possibly by Jan. 1. The Waverly bridge also will be ready before spring, it is said.

One Bridge 3066 Feet Long.

Cost of the Lexington bridge is estimated at $1,167,000, of which one-half was Federal aid and the remainder raised by Lafayette and Ray Counties and private subscription. The bridge is 3066 feet in length, with an 18-foot concrete roadway. The substructure is reinforced concrete and the superstructure fabricated steel. The bridge is sufficiently elevated

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FUNDS ALLOTTED FOR MAINTAINING 7420 MILES OF MISSOURI ROADS

Plans for More Extensive Care of Highways Based on Belief Legislature Will Appropriate Twice as Much Money as Ever Before for Maintenance.

By the Jefferson City Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Dec. 20.—Preparations for more intensive maintenance work on highways in the State system are being made by the maintenance division of the State Highway Department, in expectation that the next Legislature will grant the department's request for a $4,000,000 appropriation to carry on maintenance in the biennial period of 1925-1926. This is double the maintenance appropriation that was available in the present biennial period.

Funds for maintenance work will be drawn from the regular road revenues, which were placed on a solid foundation by adoption in the November election of Proposition No. 5, carrying a 50 per cent increase in automobile license fees and imposing a 2-cent-a-gallon tax on gasoline used for motor vehicle fuel.

To Maintain 7420 Miles of Road.

The maintenance division has just completed allotment of maintenance funds for the first six months of 1925 to the counties in the 10 divisions into which the State is divided for work of the Highway Department. These allotments total $853,448, and will provide maintenance for 7420 miles of road.

Under present plans of the maintenance division, the allotments are

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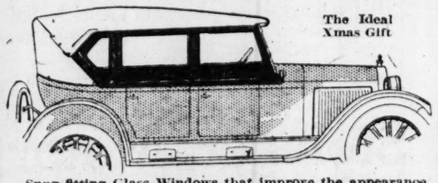

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STOCK CLEVELAND RUNS 1000 MILES AT 70.77 M. P. H.

With Ralph Mulford as Driver, It Breaks All Records by Stock Cars for the Distance.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 20.—Breaking the stock-car record for 1000 miles recently made by Ralph de Palma, on the Fresno (Cal.) track, a Cleveland six, driven by Ralph Mulford, has just covered the distance on the new Culver City speedway in 14 hours, 8 minutes and 37.5 seconds, actual running time. The car was a Cleveland touring model. The run was made in competition for the cup offered by the Los Angeles Times for the fastest 1000 miles on a speedway by a strictly stock car.

29 Minutes Faster.

Mulford drove in the rain and fog at night. For two hours and 10 minutes, between 4:21 and 6:31 a. m., Mulford was forced by the Culver City police to rest.

Outside the high speed made, the big fact was that, except for that enforced stop, the purring engine of the Cleveland never ceased humming throughout the 1000 miles. Not one mechanical adjustment or tire change was made at any time, and the only stops—other than the one ordered by the police—were brief pit stops for refueling.

The elapsed time for the 1000 miles was 16 hours, 18 minutes and 37.2 seconds, which was 29 minutes and 17.8 seconds faster than the elapsed time stock-car record that the Cleveland beat.

The average speed for the elapsed time, without any allowance for the two hours and 10 minutes enforced rest or the pit stops for fuel—was announced as 61.31 miles an hour.

But the real speed made throughout the run—figured on the time that the car actually was running—was 70.77 miles an hour.

Rules for Contest.

The rules governing contest for the Los Angeles Times trophy provide that stock cars only may be eligible and that they must be exact duplicates in every way of cars sold to customers every day. The only changes in a contesting car permitted by the rules are lightening the rear springs, removal of the top and the upper half of the windshield, and substitution of wire for wood wheels. A winner may hold the trophy two months before it can be taken away.

The object of the competition is to show what speeds stock cars can make and what they can undergo when subjected to the most gruelling conditions. In offering the trophy the Los Angeles Times was actuated by realization of the fact that many so-called stock car records in the past have been made by cars altered in engine, gears and other ways until they were really no longer stock models.

Climax of Record Breaking.

Wednesday's record-breaking feat of the Cleveland was performed under sanction of the Contest Board of the American Automobile Association, which is the official speed contest control body. H. F. Weller, Southern California representative of the A. A. A., acted as official timer, assisted by "Joe" Nikrent. "Doc" Betts of the Los Angeles Speedway Association was in charge of the pits, and took charge of the Cleveland at the conclusion of the run for inspection and check of the car's stock characteristics by Harry Miller, the internationally known racing car builder and gasoline motor authority.

This record-breaking 1000-mile run is the climax of a spectacular campaign that Mulford has carried on with the Cleveland car against stock car records on the Pacific Coast. Previously the Cleveland had smashed all records for three of the hardest, most trying mountain climbs in California—Mount Diablo, Mount Wilson and Mount Baldy. All of these climbs are up long, steep, twisting roads, where on a car must show great power and endurance and the driver superlative skill and courage—if records are to be made.

New Purchase Plan Popular.

Hundreds of dealers of the Chevrolet Motor Co. have placed in effect the 6 per cent purchase certificate plan. By means of this certificate purchase of a Chevrolet can be started with a first payment as low as $5 and weekly or monthly payments to suit the convenience made. In addition, 6 per cent interest is credited on the certificate on all money paid to the dealer until it reaches about a third the price of the car, when delivery is made. In addition, six per cent is allowed present car owners who purchase certificates on all accessories, service and repair on their present cars and these amounts are credited toward purchase of new cars. The purchaser of such a certificate is guaranteed against loss, as all money paid in is deposited by the dealer in a separate trustee's account in the bank. This money is not held as an asset of the dealer but is insured to protect the purchaser against any possible failure of dealer or bank.

Price Cut Means $750,000 Saved.

The reduction in prices announced by the Ford Motor Co., effective Dec. 2, will save over $750,000 to Ford car buyers during December alone. The largest cut in the Ford list was that of $25 in the price of the Fordor sedan.

On Auto Row

Guests of Accessory Men.

THIRTY-FIVE of the 182 St. Louis merchants who were furnished "Give Something for the Car for Christmas" window displays were guests Monday night of the Automotive Accessory Association at Hotel Claridge. Talks were made by C. C. Shelp of the Frampton company, who advised making such displays as elaborate as possible and following them up with real salesmanship in offering accessories to customers and possible buyers; Jack Gross, representing a novelty company; Elliott R. Cowden, St. Louis manager for the Federal Securities Co., who discussed idealism in selling, and Robert E. Lee, secretary of the association. All the visiting dealers who spoke said they were highly pleased with the displays and their effect.

Ramsey Honored in Kansas City.

S. N. Ramsey, who formerly was president of the Southwest Nash Co. of St. Louis, has been elected president of the Kansas City Motor Car Dealers' Association. A coincidence is that the present president of the Southwest Nash Co., F. C. McDonald, is president of the St. Louis Automobile Dealers' Association.

Employes Guests of Manager.

The sales and office force of the MacCarthy-Pardue Motor Co., authorized Chevrolet dealers at 6320 Delmar boulevard, were dinner guests of Manager H. K. MacCarthy with their wives and women friends in a private dining room at Dorr & Zeller's. Following the dinner, they were guests in boxes at the Orpheum Theater. The affair was given as a surprise.

Becomes Service Manager.

E. M. Conway has been appointed service manager of the De Luxe Automobile Co., Olds distributers. He has been in the automobile business for 14 years. He was eight years with the Overland company, was with the Midwest Olds Co. at Kansas City, and then went to the De Luxe organiaztion.

Fast El Paso-Los Angeles Run.

A stock Studebaker standard six duplex phaeton has just made a 900-mile non-stop run, with gear scaled in high, from El Paso, Tex., to Los Angeles in 24 hours and 21 minutes actual driving time. The route was from El Paso to Deming and Lordsburg, N. M., Safford, Globe, Superior, Phoenix, Yuma, Brawley, Indio, Redlands, Colton and over the Valley boulevard into Los Angeles. The last 100 miles were made through a storm, the Studebaker bucking heavy winds head on.

Records made by Studebakers which still stand in California are: Salt Lake City to Los Angeles, 854 miles in 23 hours and 43 minutes, average speed of 36 miles per hour; Los Angeles-San Francisco records—Valley Route, 411.1 miles in 9 hours 15 minutes and 50 seconds; Coast Route—452.7 miles, in 10 hours 12 minutes 30 seconds; round trip, 864.4 miles in 21 hours and 23 minutes.

New Qualities in New Cars.

Hupp engineers say there will be disclosed in the new eight a number of qualities never before incorporated into any motor car. It will be the first eight-cylinder automobile that the average American family can afford to own, factory officials say. Experiments and tests of the car have been conducted steadily for the last 15 months. One test car was driven more than 65,000 miles before manufacture was was allowed to start. Retail orders placed for the eight are reported as already exceeding 1000. The Hupp factories in Detroit, Jackson, Mich., and Racine, Wis., are making every effort to supply the company's entire distributor and dealer organization as rapidly as possible, so the whole public may view the car coincident with or soon after the New York Automobile Show. The showing here is set for Jan. 3.

New Four-Cylinder Car Coming.

Reports from Auburn, Ind., are that the Auburn Automobile Co. has confirmed rumors that it plans to market a new low-priced four-cylinder car. When it will be put into production has not been decided.

Columbia to Return to Field.

A Columbia car is to be built again, if plans of Detroit men go through William Kuehneman Jr. has been elected head of a group for that purpose to build a complete line of six-cylinder cars to embody the same general chassis specifications as the late Columbia. The body lines, however, are to be changed and the cars equipped with hydraulic four-wheel brakes, steel disc wheels and balloon tires.

Mercer Again in Production.

The Mercer car is being built once more at Trenton, N. J., as was forecast some time ago. Cars of the custom built type are being made for the New York and Chicago shows.

Ford to Have Boston Plant.

A 30-acre tract has been obtained by the Ford Motor Co. at Sommerville, Mass., for a Ford assembly plant. The site is in the Charlestown district of Boston and with access to the ocean through the Mystic River if the Government dredges 30 yards to the channel. A $4,000,000 building, to employ 2500 persons and assemble 500 cars a day, is planned. A second unit, costing $2,000,000, is to be added.

$5,000,000 Orders by Gardner.

Detroit dispatches say that in three days Russell E. Gardner, president of the Gardner Motor Co. placed orders in Detroit for $5,000,000 worth of supplies ranging from windshields to bodies. "That should indicate that the Gardner company is not burdened with a heavy inventory," he is quoted as saying. "I feel that the experiences after the war caused the average automobile manufacturer so to conduct his business that he is not swamped today by an inventory."

Getting Their Cars for Christmas.

Thousands of persons who enrolled under the Ford weekly purchase plan early in the year and made their weekly payments will this Christmas take delivery of their cars. Approximately 150,000 persons already have got cars under this plan and this number will be materially increased before the close of the Christmas season. Dealers throughout the country already have begun to report enrollments of persons who plan on a Ford for Christmas.

General Motors Sale.

Deliveries of General Motors cars by dealers to consumers in November totaled 34,388 cars and trucks, compared with 47,009 in the same month a year ago, and with 46,003 in October this year. From Jan. 1 to the end of November there were delivered 623,695 General Motors cars and trucks by dealers to users, compared with 693,319 in the same period last year, a decrease of 10 per cent.

These preliminary figures include Buick, Cadillac, Chevrolet, Oakland, Oldsmobile passenger and commercial cars and trucks sold in the United States, Canada and overseas.

To Exhibit at 75 Shows.

The Velie Motors Corporation will exhibit at more than 75 of the largest automobile shows in the country this year, according to announcement by F. E. Bradfield, vice president in charge of sales. The feature of the Velie exhibit will be an X-ray coach which will reveal every process in its manufacture to the eye.

Back From California.

A. S. Frampton, vice president of the Hudson-Frampton Motor Car Co., has returned from a trip to California.

New Members for Tire Dealers.

Six new members were taken in by the Associated Tire Dealers of St. Louis at a meeting at Hotel Claridge last Friday night—the Merchants' Tire and Battery Co., the Economy Tire Co., the Sweeney Tire Co., the Anderson Auto Supply Co., the Frampton Co. and the Reliable Auto Tire Co. President Woehrle appointed a Nominating Committee consisting of A. A. Guenther, Harry Schweihoefer and H. B. White to report a slate of officers to the next meeting, in January. Members who paid their own expenses as delegates to the recent national tire dealers' convention at Akron and obtained the 1925 convention for St. Louis told of their experiences and the hard fight they had to bring the convention here. There was much interest and enthusiasm over the results in dealer co-operation and improvement of tire service that have been effected since organization of the Associated Tire Dealers.

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SHOWS MEN AUTO DEALERS HOW TO HANDLE USED CARS

MRS. WAYNE MISENER,

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WOMAN SELLS 200 AUTOS IN A YEAR

Erects Building Out of Profits in Town of Less Than 500 Population.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JOLIET, Ill., Dec. 20.—A method all her own for handling the used-car problem has been devised by Mrs. Wayne Misener, who manages a Ford business in Mazon, Ill., in Grundy County, southwest of this city, and sells 200 Ford automobiles a year, besides tractors, in and around a town of about 500 population. "I agree with my prospect on the value of his used car," is the way she does it. "First, I agree with him. Then I show him how there are three parties to the transaction. First, the buyer of the new car, who knows what he is getting; second, the dealer selling the car; and, third, the buyer of the old car. I bring out that the sale must be satisfactory to all three. Then, after agreeing on the value of his old car, I show the difficulties in making someone else, who does not know car or owner, realize the value that is there.

"I must sell his car at a profit to someone who does not know what is inside and judges only by appearance and age of the car. In nearly every case I have no further trouble, for the reasons are true and the prospect, if fair minded, sees that my attitude is reasonable."

Started Out to Make Good.

In six years Mrs. Misener has built up her automobile business until she has erected a $15,000 sales and service station out of her profits. Her husband, two weeks after getting the Ford contract following his war service, became ill and had to go to the North Woods. Mrs. Misener looked at the Ford contract, which at that time called for the yearly sale of 60 cars, and decided there was no reason why she shouldn't make good on it.

"It was hard work for a while," she says. "My one mechanic, Chris Hansen, who is still with me and in charge of the shop, was the only man working for me. He did all the service work. I kept going, selling the cars, finding that a study of human nature and faith in my goods was my best sales help.

"I remember one hard customer. I knew he had money and needed a car in his business, but he always said no. Finally I went out to his place and I stayed there, one morning and churn and I still hung around, then dinner time. Finally he signed to get rid of me. Such tactics, of course, might be wrong in many cases, but in his it seemed to be necessary. In other cases I let prospects alone until their minds are made up.

Watches Little Things.

"We started with Chris and myself running, but soon I had more than I could handle. There a young fellow came along and wanted a job. He had never sold anything, so I hired him and trained him my way. At first we went out together, but as soon as he learned my method he went alone and made good.

"Success is largely a matter of watching little things. For instance, we make every trip count. If we go on a drive for pleasure we make it a point to drop in and see a prospect on the way home, so that the trip pays for itself. It may seem funny to watch things which seem so small, but it makes a difference.

"Our sales are made in the mining and farming territory around here as well as in town, and you have to travel a lot of miles and make the traveling count to show a profit.

"Now, Mr. Misener is coming back, for he is feeling fine again and going strong, and we intend to establish another Ford agency in some adjoining town and each manage one of them."

Stop Signs Erected by County Court Questioned

Legal Authority for One on Bellevue Avenue, Richmond Heights, Is Denied—Smiley Orders Violators of Order Arrested.

"Stop!" If a policeman says that, there's no need to tell motorists to heed the command. If a "silent cop" winks the word at a busy corner, it is not only a requirement of the law, but highly advisable, to obey. But some signs that are in use are something else again, although well meant, as accident preventers.

Stop signs in the latter classification have been coming in for a good deal of discussing and cussing by automobile operators, who also have complained about the multiplicity of signals in the city which have the backing of law.

A new nstance is on Bellevue avenue, Richmond Heights, at its junction with Clayton road, where the sign reads: "Stop—By Order of the County Court."

The court is an administrative, not a legislative or judicial, body, and there s no law authorizing it to regulate traffic, nor is it clear how violators of this order could be charged with any offense.

Presiding Judge Smiley of the court said that the sign was on county territory, just outside of Richmond Heights, and that he expected officers to arrest violators of the order.

Stop signs at Manchester and Denny roads and at Clayton and North and South roads are in the same status.

A number of stop signs have been erected at corners in Forest Park by the Park Department, and are unofficial. Park Commissioner Pape said they were serving to reduce accidents and were generally obeyed. However, there is no penalty for disregarding them.

FUNDS ALLOTTED FOR MAINTENANCE OF STATE ROADS

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made for six-month periods instead of a year, as formerly. This is to permit reorganization of forces to meet changing conditions due to construction and variable weather.

The average per mile for maintenance of the 7420 miles of road under the present allotment is $115 for six month. The actual amount per mile allotted to roads in the various counties varies greatly, depending upon the type of road, whether new or old, the amount of traffic, local labor costs, and the distance repair materials must be hauled.

Routes designated as heavy traffic routes are those estimated to carry 1200 or more vehicles daily. Medium traffic routes are ones carrying 500 to 1200 vehicles daily, and those carrying less than 500 daily are classed as light traffic routes.

How Funds Are Allotted.

The allotments by divisions for six months are as follows:

Division No. 1, in Northwest Missouri, 717.4 miles, $77,643.

Division No. 2, North Central, 644.9 miles, $69,274.

Division No. 3, Northeast, 675.7 miles, $74,189.

Division No. 4, West Centrah 666.3 miles, $115,965.

Division No. 5, Central, 760 miles, $89,322.

Division No. 6, East Central, 761.7 miles, $89,606.

Division No. 7, extreme Southwest, 740.2 miles, $81,623.

Division No. 8, Southwest, 770.6 miles, $88,300.

Division No. 9, South Central, 676.3 miles, $69,495.

Division No. 10, Southeast, 806.9 miles, $98,031.

A total of $21,552 also was set apart for snow removal on heavily traveled routes during the remainder of the winter. These funds are used where needed in clearing away drifts that block traffic.

TATE CO. WILL HAVE A BRANCH IN ST. CHARLES

Dodge Distributer Adds St. Charles and Lincoln Counties to Territory.

The Tate Motor Co. of St. Louis, distributers of Dodge cars, has been granted St. Charles and Lincoln Counties, Mo., as additional territory, and will establish a branch house at St. Charles, from which both counties will be served.

H. J. HESSE.

Harry J. Hesse, one of the leading salesmen of the company, has been appointed manager of the St. Charles branch and is busy selecting a location and organizing his force.

The branch is to be maintained on a large scale, with regular maintenance and parts departments to furnish the same service as that at the main Tate offices and service station, Thirtieth street and Washington boulevard, St. Louis.

MISSOURI RIVER BRIDGES MAY BE OPENED BY JAN. 1

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above the river to permit free navigation by steamers.

A considerable amount of traffic from the northwestern section of the State will be handled over the Lexington bridge, in addition to heavy local traffic. That traffic now has to route over a toll bridge at Kansas City or use ferries. State Highway No. 13, a north and south road, passes through Lexington. To the south of Lexington, it provides a connection with State Highway No. 2, the St. Louis-Kansas City "airline route," which will be paved with concrete, and State No. 12, a cross-State road, north of Lexington, No. 13 connects with State Highway No. 10, the Marshall-Kansas City road, and State Highway No. 9, the Marshall-St. Joseph trans-State road.

Bridges Important Links.

The Waverly bridge, between Lexington and Glasgow, will handle considerable north and south traffic, it was said. Highway No. 3, a through north and south road extending from the southern boundary up through Springfield, Warsaw, Sedalia, Marshall, passes through Waverly and on to the northern state boundary, connecting with other north and west through routes.

At Glasgow the new bridge will handle considerable traffic from Northeast Missouri. It was said particularly traffic from Kansas to the west, after improvement of the roads in that section is completed. The Boonville bridge carries State Highway No. 7 across the river, and also State Highway No. 5, a through north and south route.

Size of the New Bridges.

As related, the Lexington bridge is 3066 feet in length; Boonville bridge, 2665; Glasgow, 2312, and Waverly, 1967. A total of 81,000 cubic yards of concrete has been used in construction of the bridges, 1,163,000 pounds of reinforcing steel, and 19,667,400 pounds of structural steel.

Suggestions have been made that the State purchase the toll bridge at Jefferson City, and the toll bridge at St. Charles to provide free bridges for traffic in Central and Eastern Missouri. An appropriation for this purpose would have to be made by the Legislature, as the conditions under which the $60,000,000 bond issue for road construction was voted prevent the use of any of the funds for the construction or purchase of bridges across navigable streams.

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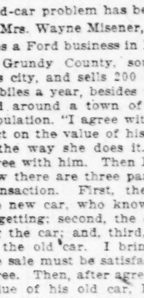

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ECORATIONS AT AUTO SHOWS WILL STRIKE NEW NOTE

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The twenty-fifth annual automobile shows in New York and Chicago next month are to set a new mark in elaborate decorative effects at such exhibitions.

The New York show, at which 84 makes of cars will be exhibited Jan. 3-10, will be held in the large 258th Field Artillery armory, Kingsbridge road and Jerome avenue, the Bronx. Work is under way in the armory on an elaborate silver tower. Around this tower, which will be the largest and most spectacular ever devised for an industrial exhibition, will be built a setting for the 1925 models.

Silver Tower Feature.

The silver tower will rise to a height of 75 feet above the main floor of the drill hall. No other building in the world could furnish the area to make it appear in keeping with the general decorative design. The tower was designed by Samuel Asch after a study of the famous commemorative structures of the world. In the main it embraced the features of the Tower of Pharos at Alexandria, Egypt, which ranked as one of the seven wonders of the world and it was built in the third century B. C., from the design of Sostratus, to glorify the reign of King Ptolemy.

The dome of the tower will be covered with silver leaf. The brilliancy of the structure will be heightened by concealing within it 40 flood lights in various hues, which will play on the exhibition at all times. The lighting effects will range from a faint glow, comparable with the dusk of evening, to the brilliance of the noonday sun. Nine distinct changes will be required.

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500,000 Square Feet of Silk.

The scheme of decoration will combine the surroundings of a Roman feast with a tinge of Orientalism in the hangings. Nile green, orange and royal purple will be the contrasting colors against the glitter of silver.

The ceiling of the armory, more than four acres in extent, will be covered with more than 500,000 square feet of silk that will be hung in 65 huge panels. In the center of each panel will be a medallion depicting the "Flying Goddess" encircling the earth.

The Silver Jubilee tower will be the musical and speaking center of the display. It has been designed with a careful regard for acoustics, and a concealed music chamber will house the orchestra. It will embody also a disappearing rostrum from which speakers will address the motor exhibitors.

The floor of the drill hall will be covered with gray linoleum and will be studded at intervals with blocks of classical form supporting massive columns with perched eagles at the top. The silvered domes of the kiosks will radiate light in all directions. Within the domes will be classical statues portraying the arts and sciences.

A new feature this season will be the opening of the 1925 show on Friday and Saturday as trade days.

Decorations at the Chicago show, which will be held Jan. 23-31, in the Coliseum, will be of the same general character as those at the New York exhibition.

NEW LOW PRICED AUBURN SEDAN

The Auburn Automobile Co. and its St. Louis distributor, the Mound City Automobile Co., have just announced a new low priced sedan which is now being delivered to dealers and retail purchasers. This new sedan is mounted on the six-cylinder, 114-inch wheelbase chassis and is completely equipped before leaving the factory.

Equipment includes four-wheel brakes, balloon tires, disc wheels, snubbers, front bumper, spare tire with cover, motometer and bar cap, cowl lights, cowl ventilator, gasoline gauge on the dash, automatic windshield wiper, rear vision mirror, heater, dome light, kick plates and combination stop and tail light.

This sedan is not a close-coupled or two-door job, but has four full-sized doors, making it easy to get in and out. Upholstering is high quality wool broadcloth.

The body is standard closed-car construction with heavy framework, all metal panels and plate glass in the windows and doors.

Tour Europe in Their Own Car.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Locher of Peoria, Ill., returned recently with their party of five from a tour of Europe in their own Paige sedan. They bought the car in Peoria, motored East and shipped the car to Bremen, whence they motored several thousands of miles on the Continent.

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The Silver Jubilee tower will be the musical and speaking center of the display. It has been designed with a careful regard for acoustics, and a concealed music chamber will house the orchestra. It will embody also a disappearing rostrum from which speakers will address the motor exhibitors.

The floor of the drill hall will be covered with gray linoleum and will be studded at intervals with blocks of classical form supporting massive columns with perched eagles at the top. The silvered domes of the kiosks will radiate light in all directions. Within the domes will be classical statues portraying the arts and sciences.

A new feature this season will be the opening of the 1925 show on Friday and Saturday as trade days.

Decorations at the Chicago show, which will be held Jan. 23-31, in the Coliseum, will be of the same general character as those at the New York exhibition.

NEW LOW PRICED AUBURN SEDAN

The Auburn Automobile Co. and its St. Louis distributor, the Mound City Automobile Co., have just announced a new low priced sedan which is now being delivered to dealers and retail purchasers. This new sedan is mounted on the six-cylinder, 114-inch wheelbase chassis and is completely equipped before leaving the factory.

Equipment includes four-wheel brakes, balloon tires, disc wheels, snubbers, front bumper, spare tire with cover, motometer and bar lamp, cowl lights, cowl ventilator, gasoline gauge on the dash, automatic windshield wiper, rear vision mirror, heater, dome light, kick plates and combination stop and tail light.

This sedan is not a close-couped or two-door job, but has four full-sized doors, making it easy to get in and out. Upholstering is high quality wool broadcloth.

The body is standard closed-car construction with heavy framework, all metal panels and plate glass in the windows and doors.

Tour Europe in Their Own Car.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Locher of Peoria, Ill., returned recently with their party of five from a tour of Europe in their own Paige sedan. They bought the car in Peoria, motored East and shipped the car to Bremen, whence they motored several thousands of miles on the Continent.

Road Conditions
Where to Go and How

THE following summary of routes and road conditions has been prepared by the Automobile Editor and George Drummond, manager of the Touring Bureau of the Automobile Club of Missouri. With its aid, motorists easily can plan week-end tours as well as business trips.

Generally speaking, roads west of the Mississippi River are dirt and travelable only in dry weather. Their condition changes with the weather. A road good today may be bad after rain, and a road poor when wet may be good when dry. To get the latest bulletins, call at the Automobile Club of Missouri, 4228 Lindell boulevard, or phone it at Lindell 8220, just before starting a trip.

East of the Mississippi and north of the Ohio River, highways are hard surfaced to the Atlantic Coast. It is wise, however, to get the latest news about detours and road construction so as to insure a comfortable trip.

ST. LOUIS COUNTY ROADS.

LEMAY FERRY ROAD—Open; concrete to State highway No. 9 to Festus.
TELEGRAPH ROAD—Good.
GRAVOIS ROAD—Detour to Sappington over Denny road to Watson road to Fenton. Detour to Jefferson County line.
MANCHESTER ROAD—Take Clayton road to Denny road. This avoids two boulevard stops. Concrete to county line.
CLAYTON ROAD — Open. Rough in spots to North and South road; good rest of way.
OLIVE STREET ROAD—Concrete to Denny. Good from Denny to Missouri River except rough in spots near Chesterfield.
ST. CHARLES ROAD—Concrete; good.
FLORISSANT ROAD—Open; good.
NEW HALL'S FERRY ROAD—Good; open all the way.
BIG BEND ROAD—Open; good.
NORTH AND SOUTH ROAD—Fair.
PRICE ROAD—Fair.
DENNY ROAD—Open; good.
KERR'S MILL ROAD—Fair, but narrow in places.
FAIRBURTON ROAD—Fair.
BELLEFONTAINE ROAD—Open; good.
ANTIRE ROAD — Good as a whole; rough in spots.

NORTH MISSOURI

St. Louis to Hannibal (130 miles)—Easton avenue and St. Charles road to St. Charles, west on State Highways Nos. 2 and 9 to Wentzville, north on No. 9 (gravel) through Troy and Auburn to Eolia, then gravel and dirt through Bowling Green to Frankfort, and gravel to New London and Hannibal.

To Hannibal via Louisiana—North from Eolia on gravel over the Red Bud Trail to Louisiana and then via New London, with about eight miles of dirt between Louisiana and Frankfort.

To Macon (188.5 miles) via Moberly—From St. Charles go west on No. 2 on concrete to Foristell and thence dirt and gravel in sections to High Hill, where leave No. 2 and follow No. 45 through Montgomery City to Wellsville, then No. 22 through Mexico and Centralia to Renick, then north on No. 7 through Moberly to Macon. Dirt road from High Hill to Macon, but good in dry weather.

To Chillicothe (248 miles)—Take route to Macon given above, then due west on No. 8 through Brookfield and Meadsville. Dirt, good when dry.

To Marceline (350 miles)—From Chillicothe go northwest on the "O. St. L." trail through Gallatin, Pattonsburg, Albany and Stanberry. Dirt, good when dry.

TO KANSAS CITY.

Via Jefferson City—Clayton road, Denny road, Manchester road on concrete to Franklin County line, then west on No. 12 via Gray's Summit, Union, Jeffrieaburg, Leslie, Drake, Mount Sterling, Linn and Jefferson City (149 miles). Gravel except six miles of dirt west of Mount Sterling. Practicable going to Jefferson City in any weather. From Jefferson City follow No. 12 through California, Tipton, Sedalia, Warrensburg, and Lone Jack to Kansas City (321 miles).

Via Fulton—Follow Route No. 2 west from St. Charles through Wentzville, Warrenton, Columbia (140). Boonville (174), Marshall (213) and Higginsville to Kansas City (312 miles).

Via Moberly—West from St. Charles to High Hill (82 miles), then No. 22 to Montgomery City (91), Mexico (124), Centralia (139), Moberly (170), then No. 10 to Keytesville, Brunswick, Carrollton (235), Excelsior Springs (285), to Kansas City (316).

Fourth option—St. Charles to Fulton, then No. 13 to Jefferson City and on via California and Tipton (329 miles).

SOUTHWEST MISSOURI.

To Rolla, Springfield and Joplin—Same route as to Jefferson City via Manchester, but swing off into Highway No. 14 at Union to St. Clair, Sullivan, Cuba and St. James to Rolla (124), south from Rolla on No. 7, through Licking and Houston to Cabool; west on No. 14 through Mountain Grove and on No. 38 through Mount Vernon and Sarcoxie to Joplin (350). Gravel to St. Clair, gravel and dirt in sections to Rolla. Then gravel to Houston and Cabool and gravel and dirt to Springfield. Then good chat road to Joplin.

Option from Rolla to Springfield via Waynesville, Lebanon and Marshfield. Graded dirt.

Monett—Southwest for 50 miles on good gravel from Springfield.

Neosho—South from Joplin 20 miles on No. 1 over concrete.

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI.

To Poplar Bluff—Take Lemay Ferry road through Maxville, Hillsboro, De Soto (44 miles), Flat River (70), Farmington (80), Fredericktown (96). Coldwater, Greenville (120) and Williamsville to Poplar Bluff (160). Follow temporary Route No. 9 from De Soto to Fredericktown and No. 23 the rest of the way. Rock and gravel road all the way.

To Arcadia—Lemay Ferry road to Flat River, then through Bismarck, Iron Mountain and Ironton to Arcadia. (100 miles). Rock and gravel all the way.

To Cape Girardeau—The best way is by Illinois roads and ferry. Cross Free Bridge to Tenth street in East St. Louis, to State street, right to Forty-third street, right two blocks left on Park drive to Edgemont, right on West Main street to Belleville. Through public square and follow Route No. 15 through Mascoutah, Okawville to Ashley, then south on No. 2 through Duquoin and Carbondale to Anna, then west and south on gravel road to the ferry (14 miles). All-weather route despite some dirt in bottoms at "East Cape."

Second option—Follow No. 3 from end of Free Bridge in East St. Louis south through Cahokia, Dupo, Columbia, Waterloo, Red Bud to Chester, concrete to Chester, then dirt and gravel to another ferry, crossing river to Perryville and then south on No. 25 to Jackson and Cape Girardeau (126 miles).

Third option—Same route as to Poplar Bluff to Farmington, where swing on dirt road to Ste. Genevieve, Perryville and Jackson to the Cape (158 miles); impassable beyond Farmington in wet weather.

To Sikeston—Illinois route to Cape Girardeau, then south on No. 9 through Morley. All-weather.

To Charleston—Same route as above to Sikeston, then east on No. 16; hard-surfaced roads from the Cape.

To New Madrid—South from Sikeston on No. 9. All-weather.

To Caruthersville—Follow No. 9 from New Madrid through Portageville and Hayti. All-weather.

EAST SIDE CITIES.

To Belleville—Cross bridge to East St. Louis, then to State street—brick and part concrete to Forty-third street—turn to the right two blocks—to Park drive, which is all good, excepting a quarter mile, and connects at Edgemont with concrete road to Belleville.

To Collinsville—National Old Trail, concrete; good except at East St. Louis city limits.

To Alton—Brick; good.

To Edwardsville—Via Granite City from Mitchell; open; brick and concrete; good.

Collinsville to Edwardsville—Concrete; open; good.

TO CHICAGO.

Via Marshall, as follows: Free Bridge into Tenth street, East St. Louis, at end of street jog 100 feet left, then right into Ninth street, and follow it into Collinsville road and Route No. 11 Highland (35 miles). Greenville (54), Vandalia (75), Effingham (107), to Marshall, where swing left into No. 1 through Paris (173), Danville (209), Watseka (258), Momence (290) and Steger, into and through Chicago Heights, to 147th street, swinging left and following No. 11 into Western avenue, then right into Garfield avenue, which is Fifty-fifth street, left into Michigan avenue and downtown (343 miles).

Via Peoria—At Ninth street and Salisbury, East St. Louis, cross McKinley Bridge onto Broadway at Venice, to Madison avenue, following No. 4 markers through Granite City to Mitchell (13 miles); turn right on concrete to Edwardsville (23 miles). Staunton (40) and Carlinville (62) to Springfield, which is 108 miles from St. Louis; then Route No. 24 from Mason City (144), and Peoria (180 miles from St. Louis). Then No. 20 to Bureau, then No. 7 through La Salle, which is 253 miles from St. Louis, Ottawa (269), and Joliet (317), where Route No. 4 is taken to Justice Park and right in Kean avenue to Ninety-fifth street, left into Western avenue, left to Garfield avenue, right to Michigan boulevard (366).

Via Bloomington—Same route to Springfield (108 miles), as if going via Peoria. At Springfield take No. 24 and temporary No. 4 for 118 miles, then right at large detour sign to Williamsville (124), then north on No. 4 through Lincoln (140), Bloomington (172), Pontiac (208), Joliet (265), Justice Park (287), and into downtown Chicago over the same route as via Peoria (305 miles, including detours).

Via Urbana—Same as Marshall route to Effingham, then north on No. 25 via Mattoon, Arcola, Urbana, Gilman, Kankakee, then No. 44 to Joliet and No. 4 to Chicago or No. 17 to Momence and No. 1 to Chicago (335).

TO CAIRO.

Same route as through Ashley and Carbondale to Cape Girardeau (listed under Southeast Missouri) except continue south of No. 2 from Anna to Cairo (157 miles); good all way.

FAIRFIELD AND MT. CARMEL.

Same route as to Cairo, except at Ashley continue on No. 15 through Mount Vernon to Fairfield (100 miles) and Albion to Mount Carmel (149), concrete all way save mile of cinders west of Okawville and seven miles of gravel between Fairfield and Albion.

INDIANA.

To Indianapolis—Chicago route through Marshall to Indiana line, then Indiana No. 3 through Terre Haute, Brazil and Plainfield (240 miles). Hard road.

To Vincennes—Same as ah ve to Terre Haute, then south; good roads (235 miles).

Shorter on No. 15 to Addison, No. 1 to Mount Carmel and Lawrenceville, then No. 12 to ferry at Vincennes. All-weather road.

TENNESSEE.

To Memphis—Follow Illinois route to Cape Girardeau, Mo., thence under Southeast Missouri; then south through Sikeston, New Madrid, Mo.; Blytheville, Ark.; Osceola, Marion to Memphis (about 350 miles).

To Nashville—Illinois No. 15 to Ashley via Belleville, south on No. 2 to Mounds east on No. 50 to Mound City, ferry Ohio River to Holloway, Barlow and Keyville to Paducah, then via Benton, Canton and Cadiz to Hopkinsville; south to Guthrie, Springfield and Nashville (383). All-weather, except 16 miles west of Benton, Ky.

OHIO.

To Cleveland via Columbus — Through Collinsville, Marshall, Terre Haute, Indianapolis, Dayton, Brandt and Springfield (380) to Columbus (434 miles) north on the "O. C. C." highway through Londonville, Mount Vernon, Ashland, Wooster and Medina to Cleveland (580). Hard-surfaced road all the way.

KENTUCKY.

To Louisville—Direct to Indianapolis, then south on No. 1 through Franklin, Columbus Scottsburg and into Louisville (about 339 miles). Good roads. Detours good. Or Illinois No. 15 and 1 to Mount Carmel.

Roads through the Kentucky bluegrass region are generally good. Roads to the south have some good stretches, but are generally very rough.

EASTERN POINTS.

To New York City—National Old Trails through Marshall, Indianapolis, Columbus, O.; Zanesville, Wheeling, W. Va.; Uniontown, Hagerstown, Md.; Chambersburg, Gettysburg, Philadelphia and New Brunswick, N. J. Hard road (1031 miles).

To Boston—From New York through New Rochelle, Stamford, Bridgeport, New Haven and New London, via the Boston Post road. Or via Buffalo, Rochester, Utica, Fonda, Albany and Mohawk trail (1244 miles).

To Washington—National Old Trails to New York as far as Hagerstown, Md., then through Fredericksburg, Rockville or via Baltimore (823 miles).

To Richmond—South from Washington via Fredericksburg (935 miles).

To Florida—Same route as to Nashville; then via Huntsville, Gadsden and Rome to Atlanta; then Cordelle, Tifton, Lake City and Jacksonville (755); to Tampa and St. Petersburg, swing south at Lake City via Gainesville. To Miami, turn south at Jacksonville.

TO THE WEST.

To Denver and Colorado Springs—Via Kansas City, Topeka, Salina, Colby, Burlington and Limon (800 miles).

To California—Same route as above to Salina, then south to Santa Fe trail and Ja Junta, Trinidad, Las Vegas, Albuquerque, Soroco, Springerville, Holbrook, Flagstaff and Needles. To Los Angeles (2300 miles). Or from Denver over Pike's Peake trail to Salt Lake City, Winnemucca and Truckee. To San Francisco (2400 miles).

Its Most Prosperous November.

November sales of the Studebaker corporation were far ahead of those in any other November in its history, while October sales beat those in October, 1923, by 68 per cent, and October, 1922, by 110 per cent. Furthermore, the coporation states that its October sales exceeded in value those of any other automobile manufacturer in the world, except the Ford Motor Co.

ELECTED HEAD OF AUTOMOBILE FINANCE BODY

AUGUST E. BROOKER.

St. Louisan who has just been made president of the newly organized National Association of Automobile Finance Companies.

CURBS ON AUTO TIME PAYMENTS DEMANDED

August E. Brooker of St. Louis Heads National Finance Body.

August E. Brooker, president of the Securities Investment Co. of St. Louis, was elected president of the newly organized National Association of Automobile Finance Companies, at a meeting at the La Salle Hotel in Chicago last week.

The meeting was attended by nearly 600 men representing the largest automobile finance companies in the United States, and most of them signed membership cards.

The organization was formed to stabilize and safeguard the business of financing installment purchases of automobiles and to coordinate its forces for educational and legislative purposes.

The meeting was called primarily to devise means to curb certain practices which have crept into the finance business recently and are frowned on by bankers as being unsound. The principal practices objected to are accepting down payments lower than 33 1-3 per cent and monthly installments exceeding 12 months.

The movement was started by a group of bankers from different parts of the country who met and agreed that, in order to keep the automobile finance business on a sane and satisfactory basis, it would be necessary to stop at once certain methods. The automobile manufacturers were also in accord with the movement and most of the large factories had representatives at the meeting.

The following resolutions were adopted: That time payments on automobiles shall not exceed 12 months; that monthly installment paper covering new passenger cars the minimum down payment by purchasers shall not be less than one-third of the cash or 30 per cent of the time selling price at point of delivery, including accessories and equipment, and that purchasers of used cars on time shall pay at least 40 per cent of the cost down and have not more than 12 months to complete payment.

Headquarters of the new organization will be established in Chicago.

Brooker has been active in banking circles in St. Louis for years and during the past seven years has been considered one of the leaders in the automobile finance field in the United States.

John Smith and His Car
by FREDERICK RUSSELL

PRESENTING THE CLAIM.
(Continued from last week.)

UPON investigating Smith discovered that the fire damage to his car was more serious than he thought it was. When he pressed the starter button the starter motor turned over as usual, but that was all. There was no response from the engine.

"I know what's the matter," Smith declared at length. "The fire burned all the gasoline in the carburetor and the vacuum tank."

This was only half true, as I explained to him. The backfire had set fire to the gasoline in the carburetor, but it had not spread to the vacuum tank, otherwise there would have been an explosion.

"There's plenty of gasoline in the carburetor now," I said, pointing to the float chamber, which was then overflowing. The needle valve is stuck and the fuel is flowing down from the vacuum tank."

I spent about 15 minutes removing the cover from the float chamber and adjusting the needle valve and float in their proper places. The carburetor showed more evidence of fire on the outside than on the inside, but in any case it would require a thorough cleaning. Finally I adjusted it so that the needle valve opened and shut properly.

"Now try cranking again," I suggested.

The starter motor churned. The engine started. It skipped, coughed and then stalled. We had overlooked the fact that the insulation was burned off the ignition wires.

When the garage man saw this he offered to put one of his mechanics immediately on the job of rewiring the engine.

"Go ahead," Smith said. "I'm insured, you know. The insurance company will pay the bill. And, by the way, while you're working on the car, see what ails this clutch. It seems to be slipping lately."

"One minute," I urged. "Let me caution you against repairing things too quickly. You are fully insured in a reliable company, but in the adjustment of this loss you must deal with the company's representative, the loss adjuster. And you must co-operate with him. When an adjuster is sent to inspect a loss he assumes that there is a loss. Likewise he assumes that the claimant is honest. If you go ahead of your own accord and have the car repaired he will have to take your word for it that the car really had been damaged."

Smith interrupted to remind me that he would have the repair bill to show for it.

"That would only further complicate matters," I replied. "You were just now suggesting that the mechanic do some work on your clutch. That wouldn't be the company's obligation. The best plan is to send a written notice of the loss, together with a rough estimate of the cost to repair the damage, to both your insurance broker and the insurance comuany. Doubtless there is an adjuster here in the city with authority from the company to investigate losses reported by your broker or the agent. When the adjuster sees the loss and learns the details he will authorize you to have the work done. By co-operating with him in this way there won't be any 'hitch' in the adjustment of the loss."

"That's all right in this case," Smith argued. 'But what if my car had been damaged while on the street. Would I have to leave it there until an adjuster authorized me to take it to a shop?"

"You would be voiding your policy-contract if you didn't remove it," I retorted. "Better read your policy again, especially the part where it speaks about protecting the property against further damage."

But Smith was impatient to present the claim and have the new experience of meeting an adjuster. He was yet to learn that the fire policy had been written with the understanding that he would equip his car with a fire extinguisher and that he had technically voided his policy by not doing so. It is sometimes well to anticipate trouble.

Next Week: MEETING THE ADJUSTER.

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Closed Cars at Last in Lead.

In October, for the first time in the history of the industry, more closed cars were built than open models, according to figures compiled by the Velie Motors Corporation. The closed car production in that month was 4 per cent larger than that of open cars.

Praises American Car.

"T. K. T.," Irish automobile authority, writing in the Belfast News Letter, one of Ireland's leading newspapers, has this to say of the Chrysler 6: "I hinted last week that the new American Chrysler was expected in Belfast. It is here, and I have just had a run. I expected to find it a very fine car, but the reports of its performance did it scant justice. On the road I was impressed with the fact that it was the finest car I have ever driven or been driven in, irrespective of price. The most remarkable part of the car is the fact that were it not that the speedometer is in front of you, when traveling at 40 miles an hour you would feel certain that the speed was no more than 25. And so fine is the suspension that the roughest roads can be traveled over without any sensation of discomfort. At 55 miles an hour the car appears to be just getting into its stride, and there is a complete absence of vibration of any kind."

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RADIO FOR THE AMATEUR AND EXPERT

HOOVER SUGGESTS NEW RADIO BILL

Confers Broad Powers on Secretary of Commerce to Regulate Power, Wavelength and Time of Transmission.

Conditions in the radio industry and in broadcasting have changed so materially during the past few months that Secretary Hoover feels that the enactment of the old White radio bill would be a handicap rather than an aid in enforcing radio regulations. Furthermore, he does not desire that the Commerce Department should be forced to exercise judicial authority which might be necessary if the question of monopoly was enacted into radio legislation.

In a letter to Representative White of the House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee, Secretary Hoover asks that the Secretary of Commerce be given authority to assign wave lengths, specifying power, emitted wave, character of apparatus and time of transmission to all stations requiring license under the law.

His suggestions for a brief bill follow:

"In the House of Representatives.—An act relating to the regulation of radio communication.

"Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, that it is hereby declared and reaffirmed that the ether within the limits of the United States, its territories and possessions, is the inalienable possession of the people thereof, and that the authority to regulate its use in interstate and for foreign commerce is conferred upon the Congress of the United States by the Federal Constitution.

"Sec. 2. That Section 1 of the act of Congress approved Aug. 13, 1912, entitled "An act to regulate radio communication" is hereby amended by adding at the end of said section, the following:

"The wave length of every radio transmitting station for which a license is now required by law, its power, emitted wave, the character of its apparatus, and the time of transmission, shall be fixed by the Secretary of Commerce as in his judgment and discretion he shall deem expedient, and may be changed or modified from time to time in his discretion."

The following is the text of Secretary Hoover's letter to Representative White:

"I am inclosing herewith a suggestion of a very short bill clarifying the powers of this department as to radio regulation as to interference. It does not pretend to confer complete regulatory authority, nor does it cover many matters which must sooner or later receive legislative attention. It is intended only to enable the department to retain firm control of a situation which is very rapidly changing, in which there are some elements of danger. If such a bill is passed it will give time for more consideration of the whole subject.

"We have long agreed that this industry will ultimately require exhaustive legislation, and you have given a vast amount of valuable time, care and study to the subject not only as manifested by the bills which you have introduced but by your co-operation in the annual radio conferences we have held. I have, of course, been in full sympathy with your efforts.

"I feel, however, that the new developments in the art during the last 12 months has taken such a departure as to require somewhat further time for ascertaining its ultimate result to the public before we can adequately determine the proper course of legislation. There is a probability that by the end of that time we may require wholly new legislative provisions.

"The short bill proposed will reinforce the fundamental situation, so that no public damage can result from delay, whereas much public advantage might result from a further clarity of our knowledge as to the application of this new system of communications. As you are aware, there is no monopoly in the radio world at the present time, there being 500 broadcasting stations, of which not more than four are the property of any one institution.

"With only 57 wave lengths and 500 stations—rapidly increasing—we are today forced to certain duplication of waves and to the division of time between stations. If there were enough wave lengths for all the matter would be much simpler. Any attempt to give preference among stations in the allotment of wave lengths on the basis of quality programs raises the question of censorship, the implications of which I cannot at present accept.

Beyond this three major things have developed during the last 12 months. The first is the interconnection stations by which a single voice may be broadcast from all parts of the United States. This interconnection has been most successful. Been discoveries in the use of the wire systems between broadcasting stations but other methods, of interconnection are in use and process of development. It is difficult to see as yet what the public implications of interconnection will be.

During the past year there have been discoveries in the use of higher power and therefore larger areas of broadcasting, which may result in a single station being able to cover a large portion if not all of the country. This raises question of the rights of local stations and the rights of local listeners.

Still another development has been the fact that it has been found possible by indirect advertising to turn broadcasting to highly profitable use. If this were misused we would be confronted with the fact that service more advantageous to the listeners would be crowded out for advertising purposes.

"Because of this situation, there is growing up a demand for the limitation of the number of stations in a given area and that such a limitation would be based on the service needs of the community, just as public utilities are generally limited by the rule of public convenience and necessity. Again this enters a dangerous field of recognizing monopoly and implied censorship.

"On the other hand, we may be in a rush to broadcasting which may in time die down and the number of stations may decrease. Alternatively improvement in the art may increase the number of available wave lengths and no priorities need then be contemplated.

"These are not all of the shifts in progress and we may have to come to the conclusion that many station owners must be considered as having abandoned the field of private enterprise and entered that of public service. In view of these changes we may have to reconsider the regulation of the whole art from the point of view of the listener.

"The public interest of radio broadcasting is rapidly widening. Entertainment and amusement have ceased to be its principal purposes. The public, especially our people on farms and in isolated communities, are coming to rely on it for the information necessary to the conduct of their daily affairs. It is rapidly becoming a necessity and they rightly feel that since the public medium of the ether is used to reach them, that they have a direct and justifiable interest in the manner in which it is conducted.

"From all of this it seems to me that there is a tendency which may require an entirely different basis in character, theory and extent of legislation than any we have contemplated in the past. The basis of regulation and the fundamental policies to be followed must be finally declared by Congress, not left to an administrative officer. Hitherto, we have conceived the problem to be one of interference, but there is now opening before us a whole vista of difficult problems. The development of the art is such that the whole situation is changing rapidly and the opinion of today on the solution for a given difficulty is worthless tomorrow. I hope that another year's experience will show what direction of legislative course must be pursued. Meantime I feel that we would be actual gainers by allowing the industry to progress naturally and unhampered except by the maintenance of a firm principle of Government control of the ether and the elimination of interference so far as it is possible.

"The suggestion which I incloss is necessary under whatever regulatory theory may develop. It merely affirms the authority now exercised by the Department over wave lengths, power, apparatus and time of operation. It is in the nature of emergency legislation urgently needed to preserve the situation in the public interest until a final and complete legislative policy can be adopted. It contains the provision reserving Federal control over the ether. Its other provisions are merely condensed statements of powers conferred in the bill which you introduced as reported by the House Committee."

KSD WILL BROADCAST CHRISTMAS FOOTBALL GAME

On Christmas Day station K S D will broadcast play by play the football game between University of Missouri and the University of Southern California at Los Angeles. This game is scheduled to begin at 4 p. m. Central Standard Time and broadcasting will begin at that hour.

PASSENGERS ON A BUS HEAR EUROPE BY RADIO

"Miss New Jersey" Got Madrid, Newcastle, Liverpool and Aberdeen While in Motion.

Remarkable radio reception of the European stations occurred last Tuesday night when one Spanish and three British stations were heard by passengers on a motor bus on route between Newark and Asbury Park, N. J.

The bus, known as "Miss New Jersey," has been equipped with a five-tube neutrodyne receiver for several months. During its daily runs between the two New Jersey cities it has brought in over 50 stations within a radius of 2000 miles.

Its greatest record came Tuesday night, according to advices received from Munn Hallburton, owner of the bus, by the Eagle Radio Co. Reception from PTT, Madrid; 5 NO, Newcastle; 6 LV, Liverpool, and 2 BD, Aberdeen, was clear and distinct. It is verified by the passengers, among whom were Robert Marsh and Frederick Valentine, two well-known New Jersey radio fans.

The bus has a permanent aerial 100 feet long rigged on top. The body acts as a counterpose ground. The receiver is also permanently installed on the bus, but for the European tests the latest model of the same concern was also installed. Reception was successful on both the permanent set and the new model.

DEMAND FOR BETTER TUNING

WASHINGTON, Dec. — —.Radio manufacturers are urged to develop sets which will enable their owners to tune in stations as low as 200 meters. Unless this is done, it is said, these low wave lengths will be practically valueless for broadcasting purposes, since they cannot be tuned in on the ordinary set.

There are very few sets on the market today that will go below 235 meters, while most of them will not go below 250 or 275 meters. Several class A stations have already been assigned wave lengths as low as 209 meters.

It is recommended that fans do not purchase sets unless they will tune in the low wave lengths. This action, it is believed, would immediately result in quantities of such sets being placed on the market.

Tube Efficiency.

Tubes should not be burned past the critical point. The efficiency of the filament in a vacuum tube is governed by the brilliancy and this brilliancy or heat is regulated by a rheostat, or variable resistance, which controls the amount of current reaching the filament. Few tubes work the same at equal brilliancy. There is one point of brilliancy in each tube at which it works most efficiently. If too much current is applied to the filament the efficiency of the tube is reduced just as if the current supply was too small. Too much current reduces the life of the tube and causes distortion and howls.

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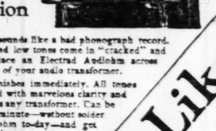

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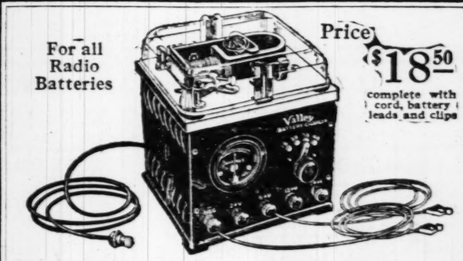

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Naval Air Station in Panama Listens for Static as Advance Warning of Tropical Disturbances.

Static, the bugbear of radio since its inception, has been turned to account in locating storm areas in the tropics in connection with the operations of navy aircraft. By using a loop antenna and an ordinary receiving set, weather observers at the naval air station at Coco Solo, Panama, have been able to detect the approach of thunderstorms and other atmospheric disturbances. In addition to giving warnings of approaching storms, the use of the —loop antenna enables the operator to determine the direction from which they are coming and the approximate time at which they are to be expected. Nearby storms have been anticipated through detection of static in the radio apparatus on board naval ships for many years past. The question of the path of the storm areas, of greatest importance to aircraft operations, remained to be solved by the use of the loop antenna as it is employed at Coco Solo.

This use of radio finds its greatest application in tropical areas where aircraft are operated, as thunderstorms of extreme intensity are frequently encountered in these regions and offer a very serious danger to aircraft when their approach is unknown. Another factor giving a maximum of utility to this novel use of radio is the regularity of the courses of tropical storms, their paths being such that when their location and direction is known, it's a simple matter to predict where and when they will strike next. The method used is for the observer to listen for static, rotating the loop or direction finder until the disturbance is heard with maximum intensity. A pointer on the loop shows the direction from which the thunderstorm indicated by the static is coming. After the direction of the thunderstorm is found, its course is plotted and probable distance from the station computed and the time of arrival predicted.

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To accurately lay out a plan on a panel simply cover the surface with black waxed crayon where it is desired to draw a line. Measure exactly with a rule where the line is to be drawn and then with a toothpick mark the wax. Should the line be drawn in the wrong place, it is a simple matter to repeat the process. When the drilling is completed the wax may be rubbed off with a soft rag, leaving the panel in perfect condition.

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Now let us take the intermediate stages, regardless of whether two or three tubes are used to do this work. It has been found, by experiment, that these tubes should have a rheostat of their own. It is found that more quiet operation is obtained and just as good distant reception obtained if these tubes are burned fairly low. So far this gives us two rheostats. Now there are the audio tubes; in some cases only one. The tubes doing this work do not seem to be critical, so let us use one rheostat for the two. This makes three.

Now there is left the oscillator, the duty of this tube being to generate a continuous oscillation. When the filament is just on at its lowest temperature the tube fails to function. As we increase the filament brilliancy we note a point just beyond which the set begins to function and we find a condition where the further decrease in the resistance in the filament circuit will cause no better results. So this makes it critical up to a certain point, and another rheostat is advantageous for this tube, although it can be operated on the same rheostat with the detector tubes. This makes four.

In wiring up the filament circuits of any set the length of these leads (within reason) makes but little difference. Because of this fact it is but a simple matter to so arrange the panel with its rheostat at a point where they balance up the panel and give the neatest appearance.

When two or more tubes are mounted on a single rheostat we must take into consideration the amount of current consumed by each tube, and the type of rheostat we buy will depend upon this accordingly. Say we have a three-tube set, regardless of the circuit incorporated, with tube of the 201A type. Each tube draws a quarter of an ampere, making a total of three-quarters of an ampere for the three. Our rheostat must carry at least this amount of current. The better known manufacturers usually stamp on the container what the unit will safely carry. If we are drawing three-quarters of an ampere and our rheostat will only carry one-quarter of an ampere, it will not be in use long before the excessive heat will start to burn the material on which the resistance wire is wound, and we will find ourselves shopping for a new one.

Therefore, bear in mind, if you are making a four or five tube set, to add up the current consumption of each tube and make sure your rheostat will carry the load.

A Tip to the Amateur.

An amateur should follow closely the instructions given when building receiving sets. Only an experienced radio man who understands the problems that are encountered in designing work may be able to incorporate changes.

HOW FAN CAN HELP TO KEEP AIR CLEAR

Writing to Members of Congressional Committee Will Aid in Budget Increase for Inspection Service.

By THOMAS STEVENSON.

It is within the power of every radio fan to help remove the interference from his locality and to improve broadcast reception by at least 30 per cent.

The most reliable method of locating interference and having it removed is to get a radio inspector of the Bureau of Navigation to make an investigation. That this fact is already appreciated by fans all over the country is demonstrated by the thousands of complaints which pour into the Radio Bureau every month. Almost in every case where a radio inspector has made an investiagtion of interference, the trouble has been located and removed.

But for every hundred complaints that reach the Radio Bureau, an average of only one can be looked into. The reason is simple enough. Handling the thousands of complaints over the entire country are only nine supervisors and 25 inspectors.

The appropriation for the radio service by Congress is pitifully small compared to the demands made upon it. If more money were appropriated for the radio service, the field force of inspectors could be doubled and they could be provided with up-to-date instruments with which to make tests in locating interference.

The Budget Allowances.

For the fiscal year of 1925 (June 30, 1924 to June 30, 1925) Congress appropriated $205,238 for the radio service. For the fiscal year 1926 (June 30, 1925, to June 30, 1926) the Bureau of the Budget has recommended that Congress appropriate $220,525, which is to be spent in this way:

Salaries for the bureau personnel	$41,820
Salaries for the field personnel	141,860
Traveling expenses	20,100
New instruments	6,580
Rents	2,700
Office supplies	2,300
Communication service	1,650
Incidentals	3,515

If the Radio Bureau is to function properly, that is give immediate attention to complaints of interference, at least $160,000 in addition to the amount recommended by the Bureau of the Budget must be appropriated.

The appropriation for the Radio Bureau is contained in the Department of Commerce appropriation bill. This bill will be taken up around the first of January by a special subcommittee composed of the following members: Representative Milton W. Shreve, Republican, of Pennsylvania, chairman; Representative George H. Tinkham, Republican, of Massachusetts; Representative Ernest R. Ackerman, Republican, of New Jersey; Representative William B. Oliver, Democrat, of Alabama, and Representative Anthony J. Griffin, Democrat, of New York.

It is within the power of these five men to recommend an additional appropriation for the radio service. Chairman Shreve, although an ardent radio fan, is inclined to follow the recommendations of the Budget Bureau.

Where Letters Will Help.

However, if Mr. Shreve and his associates are convinced that the public desires an increased appropriation for the elimination of broadcast interference, there is reason to believe they will recommend it. Radio fans who are troubled with interference are advised to write to Mr. Shreve and the other subcommittee members rather than to the Radio Bureau.

There has been practically no increase in the radio inspection personnel since the inception of broadcasting. Primarily, the function of the inspection service is to inspect the radio equipment of vessels in order to be certain that it will work on the high seas in case it is necessary to send out a distress signal.

With the advent of broadcasting, the inspectors have been called upon to inspect the apparatus of around 530 broadcasting stations, around 16,000 amateurs as well as investigate complaints of interference.

The following table, taken from the annual report of the Commissioner of Navigation, shows the details of the work performed during the past fiscal year compared with 1924 and the total number of licensed Government radio stations:

	1923	1924
Clearances of American and foreign vessels required by law to be equipped with radio	11,305	10,436
Inspections of radio equipment on American vessels and foreign vessels required by law to be equipped	6,933	7,727
Inspections of vessels voluntarily equipped	1,124	1,577
American ship radio stations licensed	945	1,382
American ship radio stations inspected for license	644	974
Land stations inspected for license	949	948
Amateur stations licensed	7,821	8,205
Commercial operators examined	3,131	3,204
Commercial operators licensed	2,860	3,370
Amateur operators examined	8,739	7,610
Amateur operators licensed	9,908	9,545
Defects found upon inspection of ship radio stations where clearance would have been in violation of the law	343	299

Present Salaries Small.

So much additional work has been piled upon the inspectors that about the only chance they get to investigate complaints of interference is at night after their day's work is supposed to be over.

Another feature of importance is the salaries paid to the inspection force. Because of the moderate salaries paid by the Government, the radio service has lost several valuable men, who resigned to accept employment with commercial enterprises. It is feared that within the next year the radio service will lose others, unless there is a promise of increased salaries.

Up-to-date instruments for the radio service is another desirable feature. With the increase of broadcasting stations, it has become almost vitally necessary that stations maintain a constant frequency, that is, to stick to the wave length assigned them. Up-to-date instruments for the inspection service would be of great value in this connection, since they would permit accurate tests to be made of the transmitting apparatus.

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RAILWAYS OF ITALY TEST TRAIN RECEPTION

Messages Are Received Clearly on Short Aerial Except When Running Through Tunnels.

Some interesting experiments with wireless telephone on Italian railways have just been completed, according to a report to the Department of Commerce. The experiments were under the direction of the Ministry of Communications on a moving train between Rome and Naples.

The aerials comprised six horizontal wires arranged on the roof of the car at a distance of about 30 centimeters above its highest part. The central portion of the wires was connected with a receiving set in the interior of the car, the grounding being obtained by connecting the latter with the trucks of the car. When so equipped, the car in question was attached to the Rome-Naples train and messages were sent every half hour during the trip to Naples and the return trip the following morning.

Messages were received clearly at a distance of from 150 to 200 kilometers. A short wave of 425 meters was used, when in tunnels, reception was impossible and when running in a cut the sound was somewhat weakened. However, under normal conditions, it is claimed, messages were received clearly. New studies are being made with a view of utilizing this new means of communication in a practical way.

Causes of Whistling.

Whistling is a common fault with tube sets, and is sometimes caused by the lead-in being too close to metal and not properly insulated. A wire connecting the frame of the condenser to ground lead will ground condensers.

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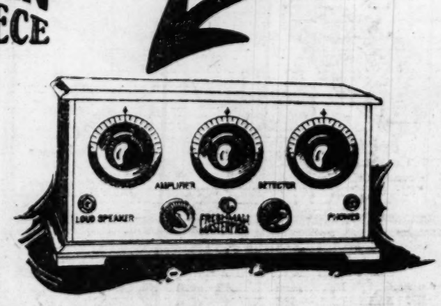

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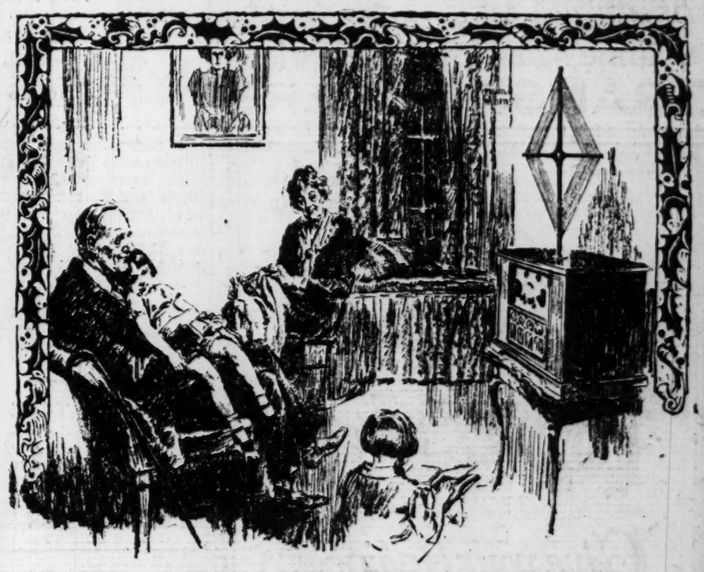

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Early Worker in Reception Field Finds New Industry Rival of Auto and Movie.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Radio today is the infant prodigy of American industry. It has usurped the place held in the public interest successively by the automobile, the motion picture and the airplane. Business men today are more interested in radio and its future than in any business problem outside their own personal interests. They are wondering how this new industry will weave its way into the nation's commercial fabric.

Colin B. Kennedy of St. Louis, one of the pioneers of the industry who was manufacturing and marketing receiving apparatus before the development of the De Forest Armstrong and Hazeltine inventions, led to the popular boom in radio, said today that there were symptoms of newness in radio visible just as formerly these same symptoms appeared in lines now staid and substantial. Newness was no crime, he added, and the only cure for it was time.

"Perhaps no so much time will be required to season radio as was necessary with some older industries," he continued. "A new industry born into our complex economic organization has to crowd into three or four years a process of growth which in lines like the making of steel have covered hundreds of years. Naturally thehe is some overlapping of stages of development.

"In radio, for example, there are receiving sets now to be bought which would be fine examples of the handicraft which distinguished the industrial middle ages and there are others which represent as complete a standardized process of modern machine production as are used in any industry.

A Stabilized Industry.

"We have had to build up our own army of skilled and specialized workmen. We cannot and do not pull skilled men away from other lines to absorb them immediately. Repeatedly we have seen in the growth of our business a large increase in working force followed by a temporary decrease in production since old skilled men were occupied training unskilled ones. Radio therefore is not going to upset the market for skilled labor in other industries.

"Something like this is happening in markets for raw and finished materials. Radio does not absorb enough of such materials in comparison to total consumption to produce any embarrassing results. By adding to the number of different markets it is adding to the breadth, variety and stability of those markets.

"As to buying power, I wonder how much radio has already added to that buying power by dissemination of market information, speeding up interchange of staple goods and reducing speculative losses and delays.

"There are two possibilities in radio I hope will be guarded against. One is the proneness to regard radio as still in the experimental stage. The basic principles of radio have been thoroughly explored and the job now is one of gradual, steady progress made by standardizing the best of what we already know.

"The other warning is this: Do not let us fall into the error of making radio a toy. There is no need to try to artificially stimulate the market for it by continually stirring up a hue and cry for something new."

The Greiff Four-Tube Multiflex Is Especially Designed for Volume

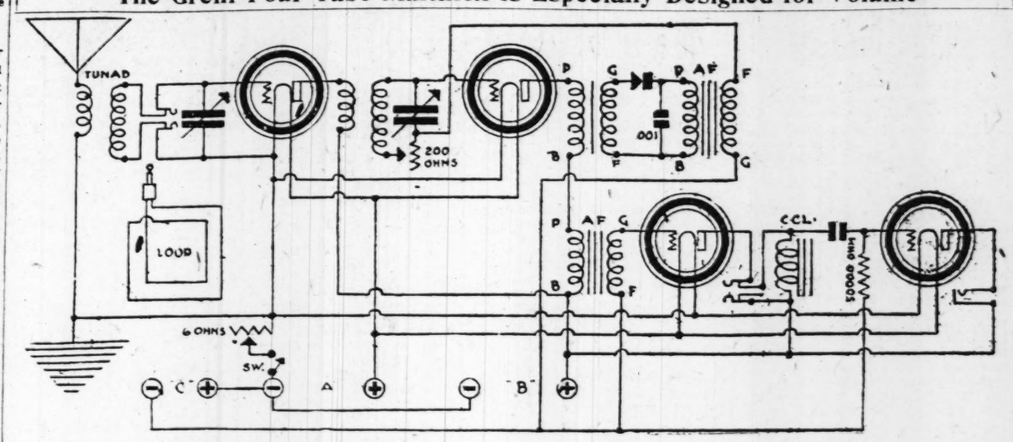

DIAGRAM OF THE MULTIFLEX CIRCUIT

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By CAPT. ROBERT SCOFIELD WOOD.

Lieut. Victor Greiff, who designed the set, did so with the idea of making it the universal receiver, and engineered it so that the set works equally well with a loop aerial or an outdoor antenna. Either may be used without making any changes whatsoever in the circuit. In addition to this the receiver can be operated with loud speaker volume, using two tubes on the local stations and three tubes, with more than ample volume, to be heard distinctly 40 feet from the loud speaker, on high powered stations 750 miles from New York.

As a matter of fact, bringing the fourth tube into operation increases the volume about 25 per cent and is only necessary when distortion is encountered in trying to increase the volume of some distant station on three tubes.

We do not know just what distance work can be accomplished, as our tests have been directly with the high powered stations, nor are we prepared to say anything about cutting through the locals and picking up some ten-watt station in Southern Texas on the same score, but we do know that, without interference, equally high powered DX stations, having a five-meter or greater separation, can be tuned through the local broadcast barrage.

The evolution of the circuit, inasmuch as it offers efficient operation on two, three and four tubes, is of interest not only to the fan who "rolls his own" and wants to start with a small set and "nurse" it into maturity, but also to the operator of the full-grown four-tube set who likes to experiment.

The nucleus of the circuit is of very little interest to the fan, as it is the conventional one RF tube and crystal rectifier, the results of which, judged in the phones, are only a little better than that of a single tube. The second step in its development is, however, interesting. The audio potential delivered by the crystal is carried back to the grid of the RF tube, thus using it twice, once for radio frequency amplification and again for audio frequency amplification. The circuit will give excellent results if the proper balance of inductance and capacity is obtained and the crystal used is of the right material.

If an ordinary variocoupler is used with a 23-plate condenser, tuning the secondary, the galena crystal is recommended for best results; but in this combination it is very likely to burn out. The pyrites crystal should not be used in this layout, as the capacity of the circuit is too high and the inductance too low.

By raising the inductance and lowering the capacity the volume can be worked up with a pyrites crystal almost to the point of oscillation, where the best results are obtainable. Diagram No. 1 shows the hook-up for this circuit. The dotted lines show a reversal of polarity on the audio transformer. This should be tried for best operation.

The second step, which merely uses an aperiodic condenser, is a form of reflex circuit that gives good volume and distance, but is so hard to control that its construction is not advised—it is impossible to log stations with any degree of accuracy. It was concluded from various tests with a circuit of this type that the resistance of the crystal was the main variable and that resistance in the tuned grid circuit would compensate for it.

To overcome the difficulties of this circuit a new coupling was designed so that it would oscillate, and a stabilizing resistance was introduced to control the degree of oscillation, thereby giving complete control of the radio frequency energy without interfering with the audio amplification as a potentiometer does. Diagram No. 2 shows the third step in building up the four-tube circuit. Excellent volume is obtainable on this circuit, which is selective and easily controlled and of the non-[illegible] type.

Next in the development of the Multiflex is merely the addition of a step of straight audio frequency amplification and the [illegible] moves up to the loud speaker. The diagram is shown in Fig. 3.

To use the circuit in the order of development and maintain the highest degree of selectivity it is necessary to use a filter tuner as shown. The filter unit is just the coupler, or the end, consisting of all untuned primary of eight turns and the secondary of 64 turns spider-web wound and tuned by a [illegible] variable condenser. The transfer of energy from this to the secondary tuned coil of 64 turns is more than sufficient to give good loud speaker volume on local stations.

Two-tube operation on the completed four-tube set can be had by merely removing the first R. F. tube from the socket and rejumpering the coupling of the loading coil and making a slight adjustment of the first tuning condenser. The circuit then becomes exactly the two-tube circuit of Fig. 2.

We now come to the addition of a stage of tuned radio frequency amplification which greatly adds to the DX potentialities of the set as well as increasing its selectivity. The grid of this tube is tuned by a 13-plate (.0003 mfd.) condenser across a loop or the secondary of the head-end coupling coil, the latter as the antenna tuned, the primary of which is untuned.

Locational problems had dictated that the coupling of the primary and secondary of this unit be adjustable to meet varying conditions.

Provision has therefore been made to slide the primary back and forth in the same plane as the secondary or grid coil. The proper relative position of the coils can be ascertained in any locality by pushing the primary back and forth until the best point of operation is obtained. One end of the secondary of this coil is connected to the grid of the newly added R. F. tube, the plate of the tube being connected to the B [illegible] through a 6 turn primary on the former, or R. F. Tuned, the secondary of which is connected to the grid of the reflexed tube. The constructional details of the antenna tuning coupler and the R. F. transformer will be given in the instalment of this article which will appear next week in this magazine.

Using this part of the circuit, which is actually two stages of audio frequency amplification, a crystal rectifier and two stages of radio frequency amplification on the tubes, the writer has had results equal to those ordinarily obtained on five tube sets.

The last stage, which converts the Double Selector Multiflex by the addition of a third stage of audio amplification of the [illegible] dence or choke coil type. This [illegible] mits amplification of the audio frequencies beyond the second [illegible] without distortion.

Diagram No. 4 gives the complete hook-up of the receiver.

The tuning of the set is very simple and the results are remarkable. Ordinary local broadcasting is brought in on the coupler with the ground or antenna connection. The windings, having neither tube nor varnish in the field, consume only the energy which comes to them.

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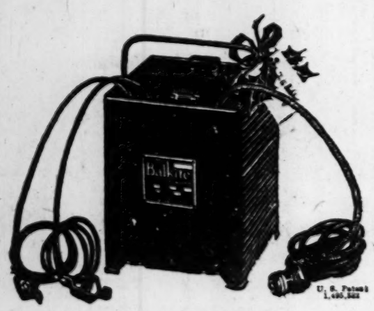
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WMC (500) Memphis, services.

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2:15 P. M.

WNAC (278) Boston, Old South Forum.
WOAW (526) Omaha, First Presbyterian Church.

2:30 P. M.

KYW (536) Chicago. Chapel services.
WCED (345) Zion, Ill. Services, address, Glenn Voliva.
WGN (370) Chicago. Master artist recital, 2 hours.

2:35 P. M.

WGY (380) Schenectady, Symphony Orchestra.

2:45 P. M.

WEEI (303) Boston, Sunday Men's Conference.

3 P. M.

KFNF (266) Shenandoah, Ia., religious services.
WCAP (469) Washington, services.
WCAE (462) Pittsburg, paino recital, Prof. Kalteis.
WGR (319) Buffalo, organ.
WSAI (309) Cincinnati, sermonette, sacred chimes.

3:30 P. M.

CKAC (425) Montreal, studio concert.
WFI (395) Philadelphia, chapel services.

3:45 P. M.

KDKA (326) East Pittsburg, vespers.

4 P. M.

WBAP (476) Fort Worth, Rialto Theater music.
WDAF (411) Kansas City, Mo., classical music, Star Orchestra.
WHAS (400) Louisville, vesper song service.

4:10 P. M.

WCCO (417) Minneapolis-St. Paul, House of Houe Presbyterian Church.

5 P. M.

KGW (492) Portland, Municipal concert.
WEBH (370) Chicago, twilight musicale.
WOAR (229) Kenosha, Wis., evening program, 1½ hours.
WOO (509) Philadelphia, sacred recital. Wanamaker organ.

5:30 P. M.

KDKA (326) East Pittsburg. Dinner concert.
KGO (312) Oakland. KGO Symphony Orchestra.
WCAE (462) Pittsburg. Dinner concert, Penn Hotel.
WBZ (337) Springfield, Mass. Sunday vespers.

6:00 P. M.

KFI (469) Los Angeles. Vesper services.
WFAA (476) Dallas. Bible class, one hour.
WNAC (278) Boston. Copley Plaza Orchestra.
WJZ (455) New York. Abe's Orchestra.
WOAW (526) Omaha. Bible study hour.

6:15 P. M.

WGR (319) Buffalo. Organ, services, Central Presbyterian.

6:20 P. M.

WCAP (469) Washington. Capitol Theater.
WEAF (492) New York. Capitol Theater.
WJAR (360) Providence. Roxy and his gang.

6:30 P. M.

KFNF (266) Shenandoah, Ia. Church services.
WBZ (337) Springfield, Mass. Concert.
WGY (380) Schenectady. First Lutheran Church services.
WOO (509) Philadelphia. Bethany Presbyterian Church.

6:45 P. M.

WCX (517) Detroit. Central M. E. Church services.

7:00 P. M.

KDKA (326) East Pittsburg. Chapel services.
KFGZ (286) Berrien Springs, Mich. Christmas bedtime story.
KYW (536) Chicago. Sunday Evening Club.
WEBH (370) Chicago. Selected artists, two hours.
WEW (248) St. Louis. Address.
WMH (309) Cincinnati. Religious services, Walnut Hills Christian Church.
WRW (273) Tarrytown, N. Y.

7:15 P. M.

WJY (405) New York. Levitow's Orchestra.

7:20 P. M.

WCCO (417) Minneapolis-St. Paul. Second Church of Christ, Scientist.

7:30 P. M.

WFAA (476) Dallas. First Presbyterian Church services.
WHO (526) Des Moines, Ia. Cornet soloist. 1½ hours.
WLW (423) Cincinnati. First Presbyterian Church.
WOS (400.9) Jefferson City, Mo. First Christian Church.

7:45 P. M.

WCCO (417) Minneapolis-St. Paul Methodist Church.
WJZ (455) New York. Knecht's Orchestra.

8:00 P. M.

KGW (492) Portland. Council of Churches services.
KFKB (286) Milford, Kan. International Bible Students' Association.
WCBD (345) Zion, Ill. Sacred concert, mixed quartet.
WGY (380) Schenectady. Symphony Orchestra.
WHB (411) Kansas City, Mo. Christian Church.
WJAX (390) Cleveland. Evening concert.
WOC (484) Davenport, Ia. Services, Trinity Lutheran.
WTAS (286) Elgin, Ill. Terrace Garden Orchestra, songs, 4 hours.

8:10 P. M.

WBBR (273) Staten Island. I. B. S. A. Choral singers, Bible lecture, 1 hour.

8:15 P. M.

KFGZ (286) Berrien Springs, Mich. Christmas hymns and anthems.
WBZ (337) Springfield, Mass. Vocal.
WCAP (469) Washington. Organ.

8:30 P. M.

WBZ (337) Springfield, Mass. Recital.
WCAL (360) Northfield, Minn. Sacred program, St. Olaf College.
WTAS (286) Elgin, Ill. Dance music.
WLW (423) Cincinnati. Western and Southern Orchestra.

9:00 P. M.

KFI (469) Los Angeles. Metropolitan Theater program, one hour.
WHAA (484) Iowa City, Ia. Familiar hymns, one-half hour.
WHN (360) New York. Current news, music, two hours.
WOAW (526) Omaha. Musical chapel services.

9:15 P. M.

WCCO (517) Minneapolis - St. Paul. Classical concert.

9:30 P. M.

KGO (312) Oakland. Traditional carols by First M. E. Church.
WFAA (476) Dallas. Gardner's Orchestra, one and one-quarter hours.
WOAI (385) San Antonio, Tex. WOAI Entertainers.
WOC (484) Davenport, Ia. Palmer Orchestra, one and one-half hours.

10:00 P. M.

KFI (469) Los Angeles. One-act play.
KGW (492) Portland. First Presbyterian Church services.

12:00 MIDNIGHT.

KFI (469) Los Angeles. Arrowhead Orchestra, one hour.
WHB (411) Kansas City, Mo. Midnight program for Far West listeners.

QRX

One need not go begging for DX work if he will listen for signals on waves between 70 and 130 meters most any hour of the night. With all the European amateurs and the New Zealand, Australian and South American amateurs going, there are signals to be heard. Apparently the best time for New Zealand and Australia is the early morning—between 3 and 4 a. m.

Some Belgium amateurs desire to make communication tests on low power. They propose to use power to the plates of their tubes varying from 6 to 15 watts. No addresses of the Belgium amateurs are given in the letter received at A. R. R. L. headquarters, but reports of reception or two-way work will be forwarded to the Belgium Radio Club through that office.

The schedule of transmission will be as follows:

ARRL, ARRL, ARRL, U-B4 (the call of the transmitter) followed by a five-letter code word and the whole transmission taking place for 15 minutes.

Transmission will take place at the following times: 0400 to 0415, 0430 to 0445, 0500 to 0515, 0530 to 0545 G. M. T. This represents 11 to 11:15, 11:30 to 11:45 p. m. midnight.

The wave lengths will be from about 100 to 120 meters, plate supply being 50 cycle A. C. non-rectified.

British, French, Dutch and Italian amateurs are transmitting every night, using code words for verification of reception. The complete list of code words is on file at A. R. R. L. headquarters and your reception will be verified if you have anything to report. Waves, 55 to 130 meters. A German transmitter using the call XOX is to be on the air somewhere near 100 meters.

In working the new short waves it would be well to check your transmitter frequently as the wave length change is only 3 to 5 meters, a very slight variation of any condenser or inductance in the circuit will throw you off your wave.

The International Committee for Wireless Telegraphy, which was founded in 1923, is planning to hold a great international meeting in Paris from April 16, 1925, to April 20, 1925. Twenty-seven nations are represented in this organization, which is in close relation with the League of Nations, the International Chamber of Commerce, the International Law Association and many other international organizations with wide interests in the legal, artistic and business development of wireless.

In view of the coming meeting, which is to be largely devoted to working out legal problems connected with wireless broadcasting and communications, radio amateurs throughout the world have decided to hold a meeting in Paris at the same time, and the two groups have decided to co-operate in the fullest measure possible. Any amateur may attend the meeting, but only the members of the International Committee and the official delegates of the national amateur associations will have the right to vote in their respective fields.

The program of the International Committee consists of: 1. The legal regime of wave-lengths. Rights of transmitting and receiving. State control. 2. International regulation of broadcasting. 3. Intellectual property and radio broadcasting authors' rights. Right of artists. Property of press communications. Publicity. The program of the amateurs includes: 1. Founding an international union of radio amateurs. 2. Methodical organization of technical trials by amateurs. 3. Wave-lengths of broadcasters and amateur transmitters. 4. Educative use of broadcasting. V. Auxiliary international language. The general secretary of the meeting is at No. 2 Rue del'Echaude-Saint-Germain, Paris.

The question of whether or not super-power is desirable in America is going to be answered very shortly.

Those interested in the development of the 50-k. w. stations for broadcasting entertainment and who point to the employment of high-powered broadcasting stations in foreign countries need not fear that we are losing prestige by letting some other country lead on the road to retrogression, for super-power is a step backward and not forward——

That super-power stations will not interfere with the reception of low-power stations is not borne out by actual operating conditions as found in the countries where super-power is used. Read what our European correspondent says about the interference of a super-power station of 25-k. w. at Chelmsford, England, on 1600 meters and a low-power station in France on 1780 meters:

"Radio-Paris, which used to be a great favorite with Irish listeners, principally for the enjoyable musical programs transmitted as well as for the freedom from oscillation interruptions on the 1780-meter wave-length, is now received with difficulty in Ireland. Since the British Broadcasting Co. established their super-station 5XX at Chelmsford the Paris programs have been practically excluded in many parts of Ireland. Even in Dublin, which is some 300 miles from London, 5XX overlaps with Radio-Paris and predominates. This has even been remarked with receivers employing loosely coupled circuits."

Six months ago F. D. Bell of Waihemo, New Zealand, wrote the American Radio Relay League that the favorite sport of local radio men was "logging Yankee amateur stations." For several weeks afterward there came lists of "calls heard," each accompanied by an enthusiastic letter describing receiving conditions. The climax as regards the reception of American stations came when Bell reported that in one night he had heard all districts.

As usual with the amateur radio man, regardless of what part of the world he is located, that fact reduced the business of receiving Yankee stations to a mere pastime. Bell immediately set out to accomplish something better even than that. He succeeded finally, according to his last letter, in hearing stations in England and France, meanwhile, several New Zealanders conversed both ways with European amateurs.

This was the start of a steady flow in the reception of European signals until it has become a nightly event. "We continue to get Europe almost every night," states Bell, "between 6:00 and 7:30 p. m., New Zealand time (6:30-8:30 a. m., G.M.T.), and, of course, it is bright sunlight at both ends. I seem to get them better here than they do in northern New Zealand, which indicates the signals go by way of the South Polo."

The reception of these signals was accomplished during a period of unfavorable radio weather, which Bell described as being the "worst for static" that he had ever experienced. There were times, he said, when the British stations came in more clearly and with greater reliability than the "Yankees." The loudest European stations were F8AB, F8BF, G2NM and G2OD.

Nearly all of the British amateur stations," he says, "have fine clear notes and it is a great pleasure to read them."

PUTTING WEATHER ON THE AIR

Quicker distribution of weather forecasts and warnings, due to radio development and increased efficiency and economy in service, are described as the outstanding achievements of the Weather Bureau in a review of its activities during the last fiscal year.

Meteorological forecasts and warnings, says the bureau in its report, were issued for virtually every need. Forecasts for the farmer, "fire weather" warnings in Western States, special daily bulletins and reports for aviators, including a separate forecast for the transcontinental air mail service, marine forecasts of various kinds, flood warnings and even special forecasts for beekeepers and orchardists were listed among the other services of the bureau to protect the nation from the vicissitudes of weather.

Broadcasting stations to the number of 120 co-operated with the bureau in the transmission of weather reports, covering every section of the country.

MAIL BOAT WILL HAVE A POWERFUL TRANSMITTER

"The President," the United States Postoffice Department mailboat, at the port of New York, is to have a new voice. The spark transmitting set is to be superseded by a 200-watt radio tube transmitter, an order for which has been placed with the General Electric Co.

In deciding to change over from the spark to the tube transmitter the Postoffice Department was influenced by letters received from New York radio fans who complained of interference from "The President's" spark set. Listeners to broadcast entertainment and those reaching out for distant stations reported that the spark set blotted out everything else while it was in operation. A mailboat must have a radio transmitter so the Postoffice Department has decided to adopt the tube transmitter which is free from "mush" and harmonics.

"The President" meets incoming liners at the port of New York, generally going out to quarantine. The mail is transferred to the smaller boat and many hours are saved in the delivery. Sometimes when ships are delayed by fog beyond quarantine the mailboat makes longer trips and prevents delays which would be unavoidable if the mail were held until the docking of the liner.

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Opening of KOA marks the completion of the General Electric chain of three broadcasting stations across the United States, WGY at Schenectady, N. Y., and KGO at Oakland, Cal.

KOA, it was pointed out, is the half-way point between the Mississippi and the Pacific and Canada and Mexico, and will be heard by millions from one end of the American continent to the other.

A public reception at the station Thursday night was attended by a number of prominent state and city officials. Invitations have been extended to numerous radio officials in the East and on the Pacific Coast.

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A variable condenser with strikingly new features has recently made its appearance in the market. It is the metric low-loss precision condenser manufactured by the Metric Instrument Co., Inc., of New York City. Chief among these new features is a rotor provided with a radial ball bearing, which insures easy turning and perfect alignment of plates.

The condenser is so designed that it occupies much less than the customary space in a radio set, being only a little over three inches wide and considerably less than that in depth. This not only economizes panel space in new construction, but also makes substitution easy in sets already built with condensers of the old low-loss type. There are no end plates.

The design provides a complete shielding from body capacity, and the losses, absorption, resistance and phase-angle difference have been reduced to a minimum. A well-constructed pigtail gives perfect electrical contact. The condenser is constructed throughout of a selected grade of special brass.

A special vernier, designed for those who desire fine shading in tuning, is so constructed that, in action, it moves all the rotor plates, but is out of mesh when not in use. It has no back lash or lost motion and has continuous motion in either direction.

Within the past several months there has been an increasing demand, among both home radio builders and commercial manufacturers, for small, neat meters that can be mounted on the panel of a receiving set. To meet this demand the Sterling Manufacturing Co. of Cleveland, O., have placed on the market a complete line of meters of the flush mounting type.

These meters have block dials with white reading scales and nickel mounting flanges. The body of the meter, about one inch deep, is only two inches in diameter, the dial being slightly less. The overall diameter on the panel, including the flange, is only two and five-eighths inches.

Two types of meters are furnished. One is an ammeter which measures the A battery current being consumed by the tubes in a set. It is supplied in five different resistances so that scale reading can be chosen which is best adapted to the number of tubes in the set. The second type is a voltmeter, also supplied in five different resistances, ranging from 0 to 6 to 0 to 120, so that, according to its specifications, it can be used for A battery voltage readings or B battery readings.

These meters make a very neat appearance on the receiving set and are of very substantial construction.

K S D Weekly Program Week of Dec. 22

CENTRAL STANDARD TIME
546 METERS

Monday, December 22

7:00 P. M.—Music and specialties direct from Missouri Theater.

9:00 P. M.—Music program direct from Grand Central Theater.

Tuesday, December 23

4:00 P. M.—Home Economics Program. Special address to juvenile listeners delivered by Santa Claus himself.

6:00 P. M.—Concert by Benjamin Rader's Orchestra, direct from Missouri Athletic Association.

8:15 P. M.—Concert of Yale Glee and Mandolin Clubs, broadcast direct from the Odeon.

Wednesday, December, 24

6:45 P. M.—Abergh's Concert Ensemble, Arne Arnesen, violinist; direct from Hotel Statler.

9:00 P. M.—Christmas cantata by choir of University Presbyterian Church, John Morgan, director; Mrs. C. N. Gregg, Mrs. Hattie Spillman, Mrs. Phena Del Brown, sopranos; Jeanne Gustavison, contralto; Reginald Hathaway, tenor; Richard T. Morgan, basso; Mrs. Alma Blum, accompanist.

10:20 P. M.—Program of Christmas Carols by members of the Morning Choral Club of St. Louis.

12 Midnight—Christmas mass, broadcast direct from Old St. Louis Cathedral.

Friday, December 26

8:00 P. M.—Artist recital by Mrs. Arthur E. Dale, contralto; Mrs. H. W. Dale, pianist.

Saturday, December 27

8:00 P. M.—Concert by St. Louis Symphony Orchestra, Rudolph Ganz, conductor; direct from Odeon.

11:30 P. M.—Dance program by Varsity Club Orchestra direct from Hotel Jeferson.

In the RADIO LABORATORY TESTING

The lure of the superheterodyne has not been sufficient to shake the faith of neutrodyne fans in their favorite hook-up. In the KSD laboratory within the past week the Gilfillan neutrodyne has been tested. This is an exceptionally handsome set and its performance as a radio receiver is fully up to the standard of its external beauty. The set tested came direct from the jobber. That it had not been specially overhauled with the tests in view was shown by the fact a loose connection to the aerial binding post had not been readjusted. This slight defect was easily remedied in the laboratory and the subsequent performance of the set was most satisfactory. Stations in all parts of the country were easily tuned and everything brought in was put on the loud speaker with good volume, using an outside aerial approximately 100 feet long. When used with a 60-foot aerial the set was more selective, though there was a slight decrease in the volume. It was possible at all times to cut through local stations and get distance, and with the shorter aerial, KYW, Chicago, on 536 meters, could be tuned in while KSD, St. Louis, 546 meters, was on the air.

There also was a laboratory test of two of the new type Samson helical wound audio frequency transformers. In a regenerative hook-up with a 6 to 1 on the first stage and a 3 to 1 on the second stage these instruments gave beautiful amplification both as to tone and volume.

THE HOME-MADE LOOP

Many radio experimenters are constructing their own loops. Unfortunately, in many cases these experimental loops are often hastily made and the best possible results are not obtained from them. In making a loop, bring out the ends of the wire to binding posts mounted on bakelite or hard rubber strip. Wood that is dry is acceptable, but cannot be depended upon. Always use strips of insulating material for supporting the wires, and if Litzendraht wire is used take care not to break any of the strands when fastening under the screw-head. Always use brass screws for loop construction.

Post-Dispatch Radio Broadcasting Station K S D

546 Meters

Daylight broadcasting at 9:40, 10:40, 11:40, 12:40, 1:40, 2:40, and 3:40 p. m. Market-quotations and news bulletins of interest to the Middle West. Prices supplied by Market News Service, U. S. Dept. of Agriculture and principal Exchanges.

Sunday—Silent

WCK—273 Meters

9:00 p. m.—Music program direct from Loew's State Theater.

KFUO—545 Meters

9:15 p. m.—Pre-Christmas program. Address by the Rev. Alfred Doerffler of Pilgrim Lutheran Church, St. Louis; piano solo by A. Harstad; two vocal selections by a ladies' trio of Redeemer Church; two vocal selections by a quartette of Messiah Church; soprano solo by Mrs. W. T. Zeitler.

KFQA—261 Meters

8:00 p. m.—The regular Sunday evening service broadcast from Fourth Church of Christ, Scientist. Subject of address: "Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved From Atomic Force?"

WEW—284 Meters

Sunday, 6:15 p. m.—Lecture, "The Catholic Church, the Only Answer," by Rev. J. V. Kelly, S. J., of St. Louis University.

NEW STATIONS LICENSED

Three class B and nine class A broadcasting stations were licensed by the Department of Commerce during the past week. They follow:

CLASS B.

Call	Station—	Wave Length	Power Watts
KFDM	Magnolia Petroleum Co., Beaumont, Tex.	306	500
KFUO	Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, Mo.	545	500
KSAC	Kas. State Agri. College, Manhattan, Kas.	341	500

CLASS A.

KFCC	First Congregational Church, Helena, Mont.	249	10
KFRY	N. M. College of Agri. & Mech. Arts, State College, N. M.	266	50
KFRZ	The Electric Shop, Harlington, Neb.	222	15
KFUL	Phos. Gorgan & Bros., Galveston, Tex.	258	10
KFUM	W. D. Corley, Colo. Springs, Colo.	242	100
WFBE	John Van De Walle, Seymour, Ind.	226	20
WFBY	Signal Officer, Ft. Ben Harrison, Ind.	258	100
WRHF	Washington Radio Hospital Fund, Washington, D. C.	256	50
WSAN	Allentown Call Pub. Co., Allentown, Pa.	229	10

"Pig Tail" Efficiency.

A "pig-tail" connection is a spiral of some soft, flexible wire, the inner end of which is soldered to the rotating shaft of the condenser or variometer. The outer end is fastened beneath the head of a screw. Pik tailing is the most positive method of making an electrical connection to a turning shaft.

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A.—When this circuit is properly made up and tuned you will find it tunes sharply. Assuming that your connections are correct I am wondering how good a condenser you are using for secondary tuning. For best results you should have a low loss condenser with a capacity not less than .005 mfd. This capacity, with the inductance you have on the secondary of the tuner, will permit you to tune well up beyond 500 meters. As a matter of suggestion I would say place the condenser near the secondary winding of the tuner and not to the opposite side of the panel, which I guess you did to balance up the appearance of the panel. This method gives you very long leads, all of which goes up to make for broad tuning. Have the leads in this secondary tuned circuit as short as possible and mount the grid condenser directly onto the grid terminal of the tube socket.

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A. Generally, a 23 plate variable condenser has a capacity of .0005 MF and a condenser having just half that capacity or .00025, has either 11 or 13 plates.

Q. 1. What seems to be the trouble with the honeycomb set? You don't see many on the market? 2. I have been told that the honeycomb set with two stages of audio frequency amplification will get the distance and volume just as good as a five-tube neutrodyne set. Is this a fact? 3. Will you give me a comparison between the two sets as to distance, volume and selectivity? 4. Do you think it advisable to try to make a horn for a loud speaker? J. W.

A. 1. The honeycomb set is regenerative and therefore it is a miniature broadcasting station. When the tube is oscillating it broadcasts a tone that is audible in all receiving sets within a half-mile radius. Because of this and the fact that a regenerative set, operated by one who is not familiar with the tuning dials, makes many undesirable noises, the public has turned toward the nonoscillating receiving sets. 2 and 3. It is true that a regenerative receiver having two stages of audio frequency amplification, in the hands of an experienced operator, will give about the same volume as a five-tube neutrodyne and will receive almost as many distant stations. It is cheaper and easier to build than the neutrodyne or sets using radio frequency amplification. However, a regenerative receiver is more difficult to tune and if not handled right it makes many undesirable noises. The neutrodyne or any other type of receiver using two stages of radio frequency amplification costs a little more both on the initial investment and upkeep. The advantages of these receivers are numerous. They are easier to tune. Stations come in at approximately the same dial settings at all times. The tone quality is superior to that of the regenerative receiver. They are more selective and make it more possible to receive distant stations through the local stations. 4. There is no reason why you should not try to make a horn for a loud speaker.

Q. H. S. sends us a hook-up and asks us to name it.

A. The circuit in question is that of a single circuit regenerative receiver having one stage of audio frequency amplification.

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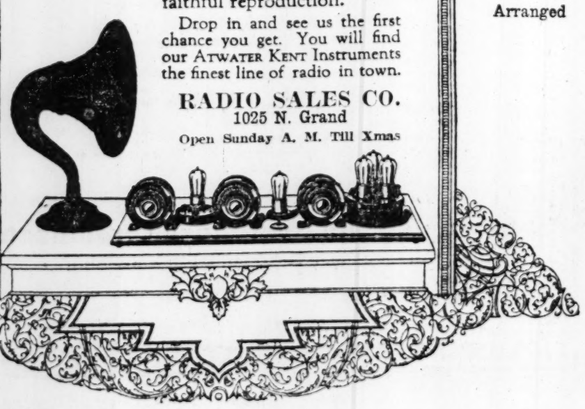

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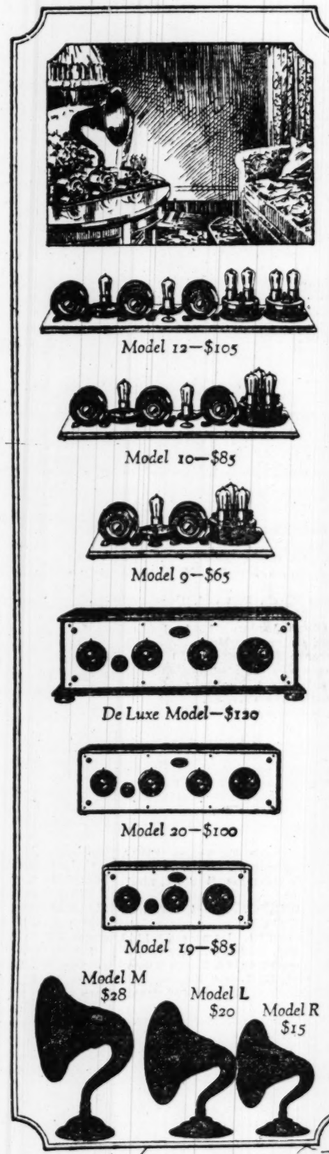

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HERE ARE THE WINNERS IN SIXTH "TANGLED COMIC" COMPETITION

List of Successful Solvers in the Seventh of Series Will Be Printed Next Sunday

THE sixth Tangled Comic was not as difficult, apparently, as some of the preceding ones because there were plenty of correct solutions and the judges had the task of selecting winners on points of neatness and originality shown in assembling the scrambled captions and characters.

It would not be fair to even indicate how clever some of the solvers of Tangled Comics are, since those who have already won prizes have a chance to share in the distribution of the grand awards to be made at the end of the competition, but this much may be safely asserted—that the originators of the Tangled Comic idea had not even guessed at the abundance of talent there is in the territory where the Sunday Post-Dispatch is distributed.

It should also be borne in mind that any solution sent in for today's Tangled Comic, and those to follow, have an equal opportunity to share in the Grand Prizes yet to be awarded.

In the sixth Tangled Comic the following words were mispelled:

Beautiful, embarrassed; magazine, magnificent, there.

The list of prize winners follows:

MAJOR PRIZE WINNERS:

Mrs. Kitty Degischer, 1664 Fourth street, Madison, Ill., $100.

Jessica Miley, 2748 Russell avenue, St. Louis, Mo., $50.

Lucy Madge Peters, Route 7, Box 300, Waco, Texas, $25.

Mrs. Belle Burt, 706 South B street, Arkansas City, Kansas, $25.

L. H. Cannot, 211 City Hall, St. Louis, Mo., $25.

Mrs. Blanche Nicol, 1653 Fourth street, Madison, Ill., $25.

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Ellis Grove, 4426A McPherson, St. Louis, Mo.

Edith C. Lowrie, 4141 Flad avenue, St. Louis, Mo.

A. J. Donnell, 3507 Askew avenue, Kansas City, Mo.

Lucy B. Smith, 227 North Locust street, Fayetteville, Ark.

Burnette Gonzales, Central Fire Station, Fort Worth, Tex.

Richard M. Gonzales, care Kelly Bone, 611 Washington street, Waco, Tex.

Mary White, 2211 North Houston street, Fort Worth, Tex.

Clarke M. Uhler, 1035 East Moore street, Decatur, Ill.

Ed. Fischer, 4415 Schoenlau, St. Louis, Mo.

Norman Newcomb, 4734 Newcomb place, St. Louis, Mo.

Edith Maude Wren, 820 Louisiana avenue, Fort Worth, Tex.

Ruth Fitch, 6933 Kingsbury boulevard, St. Louis, Mo.

Elmer J. Hoven, Box 463, Watertown, S. D.

Mrs. P. R. Scheaffer, Cabot, Ark.

Houghton Hallock, 1422 McCausland avenue, St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. Ella Moehlman, 1812 Coleman street, St. Louis, Mo.

Cornelia Wright, 1100 West 10th street, Sulphur, Ok.

Anna Marie Knapp, 1720 Longfellow boulevard, St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. John F. Link, 108½ Commerce street, Fort Worth, Tex.

Nora Shaughnessy, 1231 Dillon street, St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. Ida Carlton, 914 Cannon avenue, Fort Worth, Tex.

Anthony J. Witte, 1305 East Armour boulevard, Kansas City, Mo.

L. C. Kraft, 4656 Dewey avenue, St. Louis, Mo.

Raymond E. Helmerichs, 6214 Marmaduke avenue, St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. Wm. Bauer, 720 Greeley avenue, Webster Groves, Mo.

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W. B. Stimson, 1425 North Main street, Decatur, Ill.

Mrs. Will Rogers, 3010 Miller avenue, St. Joseph, Mo.

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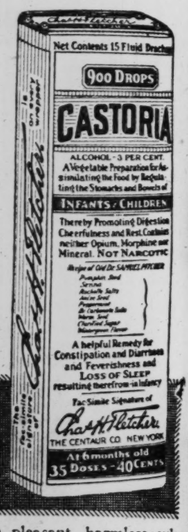

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The Post-Dispatch prints herewith extracts from editorial or other articles in organs of labor unions and the Socialist and Communist Parties showing the tendency of thought on public questions among those bodies of citizens.

FIGHT ALL INJUNCTIONS.
(From the Upholsterers' Journal, Labor.)

THE Supreme Court of the United States has lately given a decision which indicates the blows which organized labor has been swinging at the injunction in labor disputes have been effective in bruising the bark of the tree.

The Court has held constitutional the provision of the Clayton antitrust act, under which no Federal Court shall deny a trial by jury to strikers adjudged guilty of contempt for the violation of an injunction issued during a labor dispute.

The decision is being hailed as a great victory in favor of labor. Indeed, the presidential candidate of the Democratic party in the late campaign treid to make political capital out of it, claiming authorship of the clause.

We do not wish to take the position the decision is of no value, nor do we desire to overvalue its worth. The plain fact is the right of Judges to issue injunctions in labor disputes remains unimpaired, and the Judges can still have those who do not obey their mandates hailed before the bar for contempt, only in the future a jury trial will be granted.

The decision was handed down in the heat of a national political campaign, in which one of the outstanding issues was whether the courts which have been continually encroaching upon the rights and privileges of the common people should have their powers clipped. We are just a bit suspicious it was the effective criticism leveled against the courts in general and the Supreme Court in particular that assisted the Supreme Court to throw out a crumb in order to stem the tide of disfavor which is engulfing it.

The venerable Judges, who have been the watchdogs of Big Business, have awakened too late to the fact that even tyrants can overstep the limit. The people are aroused over the usurped powers of the courts and no weak gestures of impartiality will satisfy or fool thinking people.

CHILD LABOR LAWS.
(From the Miami Valley Socialist.)

FOR more than a generation laws have been coming up in Congress and elsewhere to put a stop to the practice of exploiting the labor of little children. There are children five years of age working all day in the cotton fields of the South; there are children just as young working all day long in New York making artificial flowers. Some of us Americans fancy that isn't our ideal of "Americanism." But whenever Congress has been forced to pass a law prohibiting child labor the Supreme Court has cogitated long and finally disclosed painful scruples against allowing such a law to stand, because it looks like an invasion of our fundamental "liberty."

Meantime, the exploitation continues; the tender babes are being ground into dollars for the benefit of the pockets of their exploiters. Amendments to the Constitution are proposed. But that's a long long process, requiring persistent agitation and large funds for propaganda. The organized exploiters laugh at the feeble efforts of the humanitarians to conduct a nation-wide campaign to amend the Constitution by a child labor law. Just recently they defeated it in Alabama and Georgia. Too many good old "Jacksonian Democrats" down there yet.

TEXTILES AND TARIFFS.
(T. F. McMahon in the Textile Worker Labor.)

WE are more convinced as time goes on of all the fallacy of trying to make the tariff a cure-all for every disease that exists in the production of textile fabrics. Many employers, as well as public speakers, are today making statements that the tariff is responsible for the 125 per cent increase in wages of textile workers of today as compared with the wage of textile workers ten years ago. These employers and the others have failed to mention, however, that the average wage of textile workers in New England averaged less than $8 per week ten years ago. With $8 per week as a base, it can easily be seen that building on this amount, even with the 135 per cent mentioned above, the wage of textile workers did not keep in step with the progress made by workers in all other lines of industry, but fell far short of maintaining the ideals we hear so much about, of American home surroundings.

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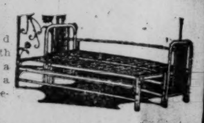

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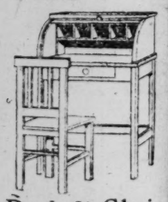

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MRS. ROBERT LANSING
Wife of the former Secretary of State, who was one of the hostesses to the former Grand Duchess on her visit to Washington.

THE FORMER GRAND DUCHESS CYRIL

PRINCESS CANTACUZENE-SPERANSKY
Granddaughter of Ulysses S. Grant and marked for the great favor of being one of the first to kiss Grand Duchess Cyril's hand at every reception.

MRS. CORNELIUS VANDERBILT
She gave a luncheon to the Grand Duchess. Above—group picture of the former Grand Duke and Duchess Cyril with their two daughters, taken at the Duchess' castle near Coburg, Bavaria, where Cyril awaits the day when Russia calls him to the throne as Czar Cyril I.

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Monday Opera Club to the Rescue!

"We felt," Mrs. Loomis has been quoted as saying, "that dignity and breeding had to be preserved. We felt the need of reorganizing social values along the lines of a fastidious taste."

Bravely the club met the challenge. Its leaders assembled 500 of New York's best people as members. It prepared a carefully supervised list of 2500 who might be invited to the club's functions as guests without lowering the tone of fastidious taste. Then, prepared for the fray, the Monday Opera Club took the bold course. It invited former Grand Duchess Cyril to America to help raise the standards of dignity and breeding.

Having invited her, the Monday Opera Club members were not the folk to desert at the outset. During the 10 days of her visit in New York, Philadelphia and Washington there was no wincing, no defection, no hysterical laughter. The Advisory Committee of the club, composed of Princess Cantacuzene-Speransky (nee Grant), Mrs. Richard Mortimer, Mrs. Henry H. Rogers, Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt and Mrs. Loomis, met her at the pier. Like ardent royalists, they waited among scores of Russian ex-Princes and lesser ex-royalty to acclaim their guest. Indeed, Russians of all classes were there with America's most fastidious, all waiting to welcome the futufe Czarina. And the Americans held their ground.

It was not wholly a society-sponsored movement, this regeneration of dignity and breeding. A steamship company had entered heartily into the plan, offering to transport the former Grand Duchess free. An automobile company had sent one of its finest models to carry the Czarina-to-be to the Waldorf-Astoria and to be constantly at her beck and call during her New York stay. And the management of this hotel, anxious to preserve the lines of fastidious taste, had kindly offered a free suite to the visitor. But the members of the Monday Opera Club just then thought they were alone in their efforts to revive society.

All unsuspecting, the Advisory Committee greeted the former Grand Duchess as "Your Majesty," curtsied and kissed her hand. Not one glimmer of suspicion did they attach to the obsequious steamship agents, the attentive automobile salesman or to Georges Djamgaroff. This latter individual they took for a Russian, judging solely by his name. Being a Russian, they supposed he was a royalist. Little did they realize, these brave ladies who were uplifting social taste, that Georges Djamgaroff might get the Monday Opera Club in a jam.

To the royal suite of the Waldorf-Astoria the former Grand Duchess, her two ladies-in-waiting and the ex-Russian Admiral who had accompanied the party were whirled. The Monday Opera Club congratulated itself on the inaugural of its social season. Even if Grand Duchess Cyril, with the club's influence behind her, failed to become Czarina, she would always stand well socially, having once been entertained by the Monday Opera Club. Incidentally, she is a sister of Queen Marie of Rumania, a cousin of King George of England, a granddaughter of the late Czar Alexander II of Russia and of the late Queen Victoria of England.

Sister Marie Next

That night the former Grand Duchess dined with the Advisory Committee and they laid large plans for a complete revival of fastidious taste in America. The club ladies told their guest that they hoped her sister, dear Queen Marie would come over next. They also murmured something about inviting the Duchess of Vendôme, head of the French Bourbons, who still hopes to gain the throne of France. To the functions at which these personages would be entertained only persons of fastidious taste would receive bids. Thus, all those who were not invited would know they did not possess fastidious taste and would promptly stop sending their pictures to society editors.

The club members were willing to go to any ends to elevate America's social life. On the following evening, when the former Grand Duchess was tendered a formal reception at Sherry's they revived completely the pomp and ceremony of a royal court. Richly attired, they ascended the grand staircase and entered the reception salon. Each murmured a name to the flunkey at the door, who repeated it to Mrs. Charles B. Alexander, who in turn repeated it to Mrs. George F. Baker Jr., who repeated it to Mrs. Loomis, who murmured "Mr. So and So, your Royal Highness." The former Grand Duchess bowed graciously and gave each guest her hand to kiss.

These American aristocrats showed of what stuff they were made that evening. One society matron afflicted with rheumatism and a touch of gout bent her knees three times. Others stooped nobly to the handkissing and said "Your Majesty" until they were hoarse and had to cancel engagements to charity bazars because they could no longer bid.

The Mysterious Djamgaroff

Then followed a triumphal round of entertainments in New York. At each none but the most fastidiously tasteful persons were invited. When the future Czarina departed for Philadelphia and Washington the Monday Opera Club felt that the revivifying breath had been breathed into American society. Alas, they took no note of Georges Djamgaroff, who so kindly stepped forward to arrange the tour of the old and the new capitals of the republic. He was a mysterious figure.

At Washington an attempt was made to interest the Government in this revival of social life. The Monday Opera Club also tried a mild coup de etat. It would ask that an Ambassador or somebody meet their guest at Union Station. However, the Government declined to spare an Ambassador. Undismayed, the sponsors of the club then requested that Duchess Cyril's chair be draped with a royal Russian standard before she sat down to luncheon.

"If we can only get the Government to recognize the dear Duchess as rightful Czarina," the Monday Opera Club members perhaps told each other.

Secretary of State Hughes seemed cold toward the former Grand Duchess. At least, the State Department did not send a royal standard to drape Duchess Cyril's chair. Perhaps all the Russian standards were motheaten.

When the future Czarina returned to New York the Monday Opera Club got busy in earnest. The Duchess Cyril had revived American society for the club; it was no more than fair that the club should try to make her Czarina. So the committee managed to sandwich in between a luncheon at Mrs. Vanderbilt's and a dinner at Mrs. Charles B. Alexander's a reception to all Russian royalists. Members of the police bomb squad were detailed to protect the meeting from a red counterplot and the event was staged at Hotel Plaza one afternoon.

"Hail to the Czarina!"

Lurking always in the background was the mysterious George Djamgaroff. Reporters understood that he was a future Cabinet Minister and would take office as soon as Czar Cyril was on the throne. At this reception also appeared Boris Brasol, an ardent royalist, who took charge of the proceedings.

"The Czarina has entered the elevator," he announced.

When she entered the salon all genuflected and there were cries of "Hail to the Czarina." Next the guests sang a hymn, "Hail to the Russian Tsar." Then all those present filed past "Her Majesty" while she sat on a sofa. Each kissed her hand and genuflected.

This affair was the climax of the Duchess' visit. Members of the Monday Opera Club were amazed at the manner in which the newspapers wrote of the affair. They seemed to take a humorous view. One great daily pointed out that the ancestors of the Monday Opera Club once had thrown snowballs at a King's soldiers and had shot bullets at them, while now the Monday Opera Club was crying "Hail to the Czarina"!

Editorial writers, much to the club members' surprise, insisted on dragging up the past. They commented, these cynics, that the descendants of the men who had shouted "Down with all Kings and tyrants" were shouting "Her Majesty is ascending in the elevator." The newspapers went further in their nasty remarks by reminding the Monday Opera Club that its forbears had been content with homespun and butternut, and never used such phrases as "fastidious taste."

To make matters worse, Georges Djamgaroff was exposed as the paid publicity agent of the Dupont chain of hotels. At New York, Philadelphia and Washington the Duchess had stopped at Dupont hotels, namely: Waldorf-Astoria, Bellevue-Stratford and the New Willard. And when, on the last day of her visit, it developed that the steamship France was to carry her back to Germany for the advertising of it, the Monday Opera Club began to see a great light.

This disillusionment was further emphasized when historians, with a cold disregard of social ethics, reminded the world that "Czar Cyril I" was hiding in his wife's castle at Coburg, Bavaria, many, many miles from the throne of the Romanoffs. While his manifestoes still break on the waiting world, other members of the family are also issuing manifestoes denying that he has any right to be Czar. The Dowager Empress Maria Feodrovna claims that Grand Duke Nicholaievitch is the rightful heir to the throne and Grand Duke Nick agrees with her, absolutely.

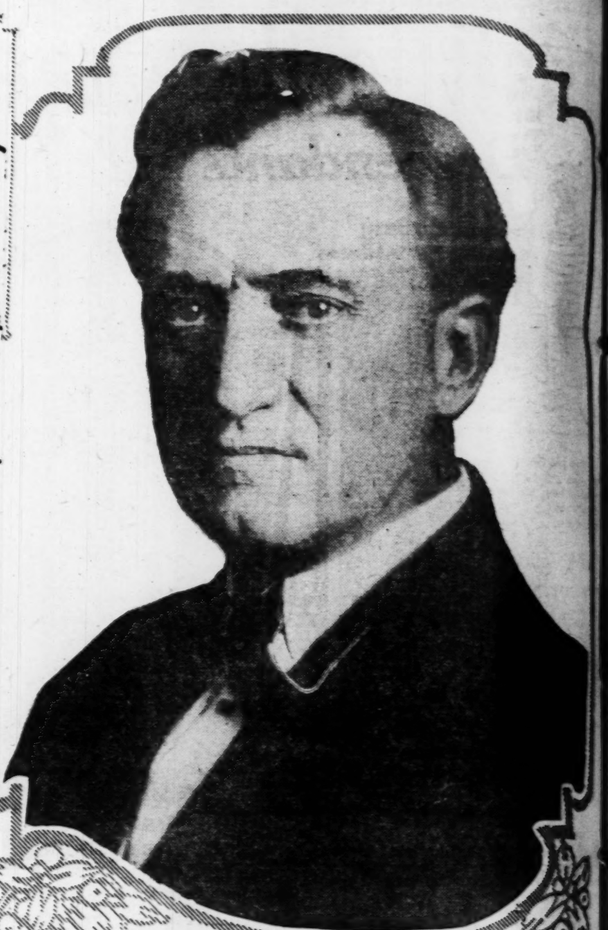
Thus it has come about that the Monday Opera Club, through Mr. Ethan Allen, its secretary, has denied any attempt to revitalize American society. It also has denied any desire to place Duchess Cyril on the Russian throne. Several members have resigned and others say they will resign unless the club leaves international politics alone and goes in for supper dances.

THEY SIGNED ON THE DOTTED LINE, AND THEN CAME TROUBLE—

PROMINENT KANSANS ARE CALLED TO EXPLAIN BEFORE THE MAN THEY ACCUSED

COUNTY ATTORNEY BRONCE JACKSON,
The Rice County prosecutor, who called the turn on the Sterling committee by obliging them to testify under oath that they had no first hand knowledge of law violations or of any malfeasance in office on his part.

The Ease With Which Responsible Persons May Be Induced to Give Their Names to Petitions and the Unpleasant After-Effects Are Startlingly Emphasized by an Election Affair in Sterling.



ATTORNEY-GENERAL CHARLES B. GRIFFITH,
The supreme law officer of Kansas, who became involved in the Sterling squabble and was removed from the list of speakers at a State convention of the W. C. T. U. because prohibitionists thought he was not zealous enough in enforcing the Volstead law.

FRED L. CRABBE,
The State director of the Kansas Anti-Saloon League, who sent detectives into Rice County to obtain evidence. Two of his men landed in jail, one on a charge of transporting liquor, and the other accused of stealing a watch.

E. T. KEMPER,
The County Attorney-elect of Rice County, who defeated Jackson in the August primary and won in the general election on a strict law enforcement program.

By FREDERICK H. BRENNAN,
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

STERLING, Kan., Dec. 20.

IT was an impressive petition. In huge capital letters an inch high across the top would be the address: "TO CITIZENS OF KANSAS INTERESTED IN GOOD GOVERNMENT." The subject matter started off: "We citizens of Sterling and Rice County . . . . " While it did not have quite the ring of "when in the course of human events . . ." still the beginning gave unmistakable indication that what followed must be of grave import.

The petition did not say that bootleggers had been peddling hooch to the youth of Sterling, thus stating the reason for a petition. Instead the cause of action was expressed as "flagrant violations of the Prohibitory Law." The petition did not come right out and charge that County Attorney Bronce Jackson had failed to catch the bootleggers and that Attorney-General Charles B. Griffith would not bother his head with the liquor situation at Sterling. Petitions are seldom so blunt.

"Attorney Jackson nullified our law enforcement program," accused the petition. "Two months have passed since the County Attorney started on his riotous course and to date nothing has come from the Attorney-General's office but PROMISES—in bounteous measure.

"Such a situation strikes at the foundation of all law enforcement and orderly government. It is fraught with the gravest danger to all the agencies of enforcing law and is a serious challenge to the Attorney-General's office. It is an act of the most momentous import. It strikes at things fundamental to government."

Then the petition gave itself away. It was dated Oct. 24. Attorney-General Griffith was running for re-election.

"We have good reason to believe," read the document, "that the Attorney-General has planned to take no action in this case until after the election. Do we want such a man to continue to head the law enforcement office of this State?"

The petition having been duly written, the only detail remaining was to find signers. Doctor H. R. Ross, chairman of the Law Enforcement Committee who was the author of most of the material, considered it an honor to sign his name first. He signed with a flourish that might have contained a touch of pride. It was a dashing, bold signature, as of one sure of his ground.

"You Sign Next"

"Now you sign next, Charley," he said.

Charles Weede as Secretary of the committee gripped the pen eagerly. Perhaps he was thinking of posterity; how his descendants could boast, "Our ancestor was the second man to sign the famous Sterling petition." At any rate, he signed without a moment of doubt. So also with F. M. Houston, the third leader.

Then these three prominent citizens of Sterling went forth to get other signers.

First they called on F. M. Spencer, aged President Emeritus of Sterling College. His name, they knew would carry great weight on a petition.

It chanced that Dr. Spencer could not find his glasses when the paper was handed to him. He scanned the lines perfunctorily and asked, "This is a petition for better law enforcement, eh?"

"Yes," said the three leaders. "Conditions in Sterling are frightful. It is a menace to the youth of Sterling College. We knew that you would want to register your personal protest."

"To be sure! To be sure!" replied Dr. Spencer, heartily. "I am always willing to co-operate in any worthy movement. Now just a minute while I find my pen——"

And Dr. Spencer signed.

On the campus they chanced to meet J. L. McCreight of the Bible Department.

"We are lodging a protest against the illicit liquor traffic in Sterling," said Dr. Ross, extending the petition.

McCreight was a bit late for his class in the Old Testament. He recognized three sober, reliable citizens of the town one of whom carried a paper. He had no time to read it. What he wanted was a brief summary.

"How much?" he inquired.

"Oh, nothing," they said. "We just want your name as a force for good."

So he signed it. There were good names above his and he did not bother to look above the names to see what the petition was about. He just slapped his monicker down. He was in a hurry.

A Student Signs

Herbert M. Bentley, a serious-minded student came along just then. One of the three stopped him. It would be a good thing to have the student body represented.

"You are aware, Mr. Bentley, that some of the wilder element in school are purchasing liquor down in town, I suppose?"

"Yes. I'm sorry to say, I know that."

"This petition is a protest against the illegal sale of intoxicants."

"Shall I sign? I'm for every moral movement."

"If you please."

Next they came upon Lorin Ray, a prominent farmer.

"We don't want the public to think this is just a town affair," the committee members explained. "You as a leader in your community ought to join in this protest against the way the law is being enforced in Rice County."

Ray had signed on the dotted line for a book agent once, and he was cautious. He read the petition carefully.

"See here, you're sure a fellow won't get in trouble by signing this?" he queried.

"What trouble is likely? Doc Ross signed. Do you think he would go into anything that wasn't strictly O. K.? President Spencer out at the college signed. Do you think a man of his character would attach his name to anything that would start trouble for anyone but law violators?"

Ray scratched his head. There were the names. It rather flattered him that he should be asked to join such a committee. He read over the phrases of the petition once more—"flagrant violations of the prohibitory law"—"fraught with danger to all the agencies of enforcing law"—"strikes at the foundation"—all these words meant something, but he was not sure just what. Yet Doc Ross had signed.

"All right, Got a pencil? I don't like the way these bootleggers are laughing in everybody's face."

The list grew rapidly. A. L. Stickel, superintendent of schools; J. T. Hawk, merchant; Charles M. Guttery, bank cashier; Rev. J. W. Dill, Rev. A. C. Douglass, S. K. Currier, City Councilman; Dr. P. P. Trueheart, O. C. Young, salesman; Mrs. Margaret Dill, superintendent of the W. C. T. U.; Mrs. Elizabeth W. De Hart and so on until there were 43 names on the petition. All good, solid, worthy names of earnest people who sincerely believed that conditions were bad in Sterling, and that the petition would help to right matters.

So 5000 copies of the document were printed by the Sterling Bulletin and scattered over the county.

Why They Acted

The reasons why the petition signers believed an emergency existed in Rice County were numerous. First of the occurrences which had aroused them was the death of Fred Young, a farmer boy, who had bought liquor from a man at a garage in Sterling. The doctors said that wood alcohol had killed him. Doy Elstun, a garage proprietor, was charged with having sold the liquor but on the failure of Young's drinking companions to identify him as the bootlegger the case was dismissed by County Attorney Jackson.

Convinced that law-breaking was prevalent, the Sterling committee got Fred Crabbe, State Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, to send detectives to find evidence. R. W. Davis, one of the league's operatives, had not been in town long before he arrested George Boydston, a negro taxi driver. He took Boydston to Lyons, the county seat, along with the alleged evidence. However, County Attorney Jackson chose to believe the negro's story that Davis had framed him. He accordingly arrested the detective and charged him with possession and transportation of liquor—the evidence against him being the same liquor he had intended using as evidence against Boydston. Furious, a deputation of Sterling citizens called on Jackson and provided $600 bond for Davis. They were angered further in a few weeks when a second Anti-Saloon League detective, named Milliner, was arrested on a charge of having stolen a watch from a traveling man at a Sterling hotel.

Griffith Is Blackballed

By way of revenge and reprisal the Sterling men saw to it that Griffith's name was striken from the list of speakers at the State convention of the W. C. T. U., which was held in their town. They also refused to let Griffith address a union meeting of churches and explain his position unless he got Jackson to drop his suit for collection of the bond. Griffith visited Sterling, accused the committee of "crucifying" him but ended by saying that he could be re-elected without a vote from Rice County and did not purpose to interfere with Jackson.

The petition followed.

A few days after the petition was published and distributed over the county Bronce Jackson acted. He called a special court of inquisition into law enforcement conditions in Rice County. And he issued subpenas for every one of the 43 Sterling citizens who had signed the petition. They had attacked his conduct in office. They must submit their proof.

The inquisition was held at Lyons. Forty-one of the forty-three witnesses subpenaed were on hand. Dr. Ross and another did not attend, having legitimate excuses.

"What do you know about the liquor traffic in Rice County and at Sterling, Dr. Spencer?" Jackson asked the President Emeritus of Sterling College.

"Well, I know in a general way that they are very bad, sir," was the reply.

"Have you ever bought liquor in the county?"

"No."

"Only What I Hear"

"Have you ever seen anyone else buy liquor in the county?"

"I would not say I had, sir."

"Yet you signed this petition which charges flagrant violations of the law?"

"Yes."

"Why did you sign it?"

"I believed it the right thing to do, sir."

Another witness was Dr. W. E. Currie.

"Doctor, you signed the petition?"

"I did."

"Have you ever seen men drunk in Sterling?

"I have seen several I thought had been drinking."

"You do not know where they obtained the liquor?"

"No."

"What do you know of bootlegging in the county?"

"Only what I have been told."

"Who told you."

"Various members of the committee."

Lorin Ray, one of the farmers who signed, was also examined.

"I don't know a thing about it," he blurted. "They told me I wouldn't get in trouble if I signed it and here I am. I wouldn't sign a petition for a new sidewalk now."

Man after man and woman after woman was examined. Not one could give specific instances of law violation observed first hand. When asked why they had signed the answers ran as follows:

"I signed because I believed and still believe there is bootlegging around here. Of course I haven't proof. I'm not a detective."

"Well, Doc Ross asked me to sign. I didn't read the paper. I just signed."

"Mr. Houston and Mr. Weede told me to sign."

"They said we could clean up the county this way."

43 Nervous Citizens

"They asked me if I wanted a clean town and I said, 'Sure,' and they said, 'Well, sign this and we'll oust out Jackson,' and I said, 'All right.' So I signed her."

"We trusted the reports of these detectives."

The Lyons News which had supported Jackson through all the controversy hailed the results of the inquisition gleefully. It was regarded as a triumph amounting to vindication.

A short while after the hearing Attorney-General Griffith was re-elected.

Today there are 43 nervous citizens in Sterling. Their attorneys have assured them that neither Griffith nor Jackson has grounds for libel suits, but still they are uneasy. However, Dr. Ross, leader of the committee, is certain of the justice of his side.

"We were entirely right in putting out the petition. We are convinced that the conditions here warranted it. Of course none of us was in a position to obtain evidence first hand, but the detectives uncovered enough to leave us assured that everything we charged is true."

At Lyons County Attorney Jackson discussed the case briefly with the correspondent:

"I told the holy boys over at Sterling to bring in their evidence," he said, "but not one could say under oath that he knew of any misconduct of my office. I don't know whether I'll sue them for libel or not. I'm still thinking about it."

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The Berlin theatrical directors have a great diversity of interests and viewpoints, and it is usually difficult to get them together on any proposition. They are unanimous, however, in agreeing, first, that this year's theatrical season is the worst in years, and second, that the prominent stars are charging such exorbitant fees that prices of admission must be boosted to a point where the public cannot afford to patronize the theater.

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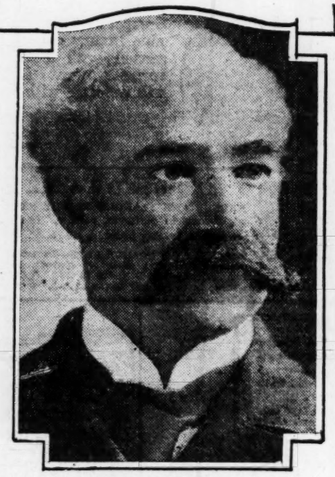

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Consider him in his prime, this jolly man. He, like many another humorist, had seen the joke in the New York dog and cat show. But none had tried to make the sponsors of the show see it. To this end Hughes dedicated himself, unselfishly.

A Horse on the Horse Show

He picked up an alley cat and entered it in the show, a cat called Nicodemus. On a velvet cushion Nicodemus was brought into the show ring, while a liveried attendant warmed its milk in a silver dish. Hughes gave to Nicodemus the same attention that a hundred tabby lovers were giving to expensive Persians and Malteses. And Nicodemus won a blue ribbon.

The debacle was superb. Not only did the judges discover, finally, that Nicodemus had no pedigree, but that the cat's real name was Josephine!

Hughes did not laugh alone at the joke. America laughed. Even sponsors of the dog and cat show told each other: "He must have meant some sort of a take-off on us."

Next the inspired man turned his attention to the horse show. He waited long enough for society to forget the Nicodemus prank, and then one year he entered Puldekah Orphan, sired by Metropolitan, dam Electricity. The judges did not know that Puldekah Orphan had been purchased for $11.50 from the street railway company. Conditioned at Hughes' farm, and ridden by the jokester's daughter, he was sent into the ring. The judges thought his action splendid (he was a straight walker from following a street car track) and when all the horses had been viewed they selected Puldekah Orphan as one of the four best horses to enter the elimination trial. "Puldekah Orphan," being interpreted, means "Pulled a car often."

Hughes always knew when a joke had gone far enough. He went to the judges in a panic, fearing that his horse might be given the blue ribbon, and confessed.

It was this refreshing individual's firm conviction that the Board of Aldermen of New York City took themselves too seriously. Others may have had the same half-formed idea but they were not pioneers. Brian Hughes was a pioneer. He joked where others only had bright thoughts; he laughed when others were only half-decided to smile.

"I have donated a public park to the city," Hughes announced to the press one day.

The Board of Aldermen were informed and they passed a resolution with many whereases, thanking Hughes for his benefaction. They then shined their top hats and journeyed to Brooklyn one day to inspect and perhaps officially dedicate the park site.

The President of the Board had prepared a speech in which he would call to the attention of the municipality that "on these broad acres so generously donated by our fellow citizen, Brian G. Hughes, Esq., the feet of little children will play," etc. But, lo! when the inspecting party arrived they found that the "park" was a triangular patch of ground 5x8x6 feet. Was Brian Hughes alone in his laughter at the Board of Aldermen? No! There were others in New York with a sense of humor.

Hughes Gets His Due

That was like Hughes, folks said. It was wrong to call him a mere practical joker. The man was a public boon, whose risibilities were Jovian. Fancy laughing at an Alderman!

Another institution at which Hughes, the jolly fellow, launched a few arrows was the historical society. It tickled him to see the eagerness with which any historical society searched for relics. Owning a lonely little shack swept by the breezes of Long Island Sound, he wrote to a dozen such societies, advising them that he possessed the original headquarters of Washington, Lafayette and Von Steuben during the Revolutionary War. But, alas, while the societies were bidding against each other for the shack and circularizing their members for contributions to another American shrine, a wind blew the sacred building into the ocean. The American Genealogical Society, seeing the joke, offered to trade the site of the insane asylum on Ward's Island for the Lafayette site.

Hughes was born in New York and grew to manhood in the Bronx. He—but here is another good one:

When Hughes was a mere child of 10 he displayed his budding genius as a practical humorist. Catching sparrows in Central Park by use of a trap of his own invention, he gilded and painted the bits of feather and sold them for song birds.

After the sparrows refused to sing and were returned young Hughes did no more joking for a time. His next attempt at the art also ended disastrously. He had applied himself with such concentration to the traffic in song birds that he fell behind in his studies at school. At the end of the term he looked at his report card and realized his father would see nothing funny in the marks.

Brian Suffers in the End

So the embryo genius went to a bookshop and purchased two handsomely bound volumes. He had the clerk inscribe on the flyleaf of one "Presented to Brian G. Hughes for good conduct by a grateful teacher," and in the other: "Presented to Brian G. Hughes for close application." The books he proudly bore home to his father.

Alas! young Hughes had chosen ill these books which were to mean so much. One was by De Maupassant and the other by Balzac. Hughes Sr. did not think teachers should present such works to 10-year-old boys. He called at the school and learned the truth. Returning, he took young Brian to the woodshed, and there the lad almost lost his sense of humor.

But Brian G. Hughes rallied. It is essential to a practical joker that he should be strong, that "The joker smitten to earth shall joke again." His next joke—but we are forgetting Hughes' more serious side, his career. After he had grown to manhood, had read "Peck's Bad Boy" and found it crude and puerile, he entered his father's box factory and in time inherited the business. At this he made a fortune and also helped to organize The Dollar Bank of the Bronx. As a bank president—by the way, here is another good one——

He and some friends filled a bag with brass washers and inscribed on it, "$50,000, U. S. Mint." This bag Hughes took to Asbury Beach, N. J., where he proceeded to "discover" the fortune. When he dug the bag from the sand it precipitated a near riot among the wealthy bathers.

The New Jersey police failed to see the joke. They arrested Hughes and his friends, who were fined $10 apiece for creating a disturbance.

Akin to this prank was the incident of the bag of jewels. Out of Tiffany's one busy day stepped an important looking individual. He carried a plush bag. The hurrying passers-by eyed the bag greedily. Why did the locks of such bags never fall open? For years those who passed by Tiffany's had been secretly hoping that a bag of jewels would open accidentally.

The Affair at Tiffany's

Just as the gentleman—just as Hughes, for it was none other than our hero, reached the curb the clasps of the bag fell apart. A profusion of diamonds, emeralds, rubies, sapphires and opals pattered to the sidewalk.

How polite was that crowd! They hastened to help Hughes pick up his scattered horde, and by actual count the honest New Yorkers returned to him at least one-fourth of the jewels. They could not understand why Hughes laughed. Can you? Right! They were colored-glass jewels.

Hughes had barely got over chuckling at this joke when another positive inspiration struck him. He would pull one on the Metropolitan Art Museum. Perhaps he first thought of putting a tack in the director's chair. He was connoisseur enough to have appreciated fully the expression on the face of a museum director who has just sat on a tack. But he passed this up for another trick.

Leaving a kit of burglars' tools on the front steps of the museum one night, he started a mild panic among the officers and employes. What had been stolen? Presently Hughes sent a cabby to the museum with an armload of chromos. Thinking that they were returned masterpieces the museum authorities had the cabby arrested. Hughes explained. New York laughed. Noble Hughes!

Between jokes, it must be remembered, Hughes was acting like a sober business man and doing his part in the serious ways of life.

He had his smaller jokes. When the Society of Holland Dames was organized in New York he dressed as a royal courier and in all solemnity presented its president, who called herself "Queen Lavinia I," with the Order of St. Catherine of Mt. Sinai. The good lady felt honored and later showed the order to friends. One, more sophisticated than the rest, identified the pendant as a policeman's badge and the chain as part of a cuckoo clock. In a rage Queen Lavinia offered $50,000 to anyone who could prove there was no such order.

The Collector Paid the Bill

Hughes will be remembered also as the surname of a satirist who hired two hoboes at $5 a day to pump water from the cellar of a house in Yonkers. When the tramps had worked two days they discovered that the hose into the cellar went right on through and down to the Nepperham River. In the face of such permanent employment they fled, aghast.

It was Hughes too who first thought of pinning a Deputy Sheriff's badge on his coat when a collector called at the box factory.

"How long have you been waiting for this fellow Hughes?" the collector demanded.

"Oh, several hours," said the fake deputy.

"Just my luck," mourned the debtor's ghost, "I should have collected this bill yesterday. But we thought Hughes was good for it."

"Well—he may be at that," was Hughes' reflective comment. "If you'll stand the dinners I'll try to get your money for you."

"Agreed," said the visitor.

So Hughes wrote him a check for his bill and marched him to the best restaurant in walking distance. His dupe paid the check.

Some Tree!

On another occasion Hughes ran across a young Englishman who had a passion for horticulture. It struck Hughes, the flippant man, that anyone who could be passionate over horticulture deserved a practical joke. So he had an employe graft pineapples, apples, peaches and plums on a maple tree and showed it to the expert in forestry and orcharding. It took the enthusiastic Briton several minutes to see the joke.

Of late years, to return to his career, Hughes had heeded the pleadings of his family to cease practical joking. Possibly they held that a man who perpetrates such whimsies should be in full possession of his faculties and able to do his hundred yards in respectable time. But though Brian Hughes was old and shaky, his laughter stayed. Friends often found him chuckling to himself at the rich store of memories, those old humors, the old pranks. They say that when he died it was with a smile.

And was he pariah among men? Ah, no! To every man who in anger and as butt of the joke failed to see its point, a hundred enjoyed it tremendously. A somber, respectful crowd followed him to the grave, but before the sad words were said and the sacred task accomplished an exuberant soul or so had recollected, and reminiscent smiles came again. They could not fancy Brian Hughes as a solemn angel.

BRIAN G. HUGHES.

The proud City Fathers who had gathered on the site of the park "so generously donated by one of our leading citizens, Brian G. Hughes" were amazed to discover that the "park" Hughes had given measured 6x6x8 feet.

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38,600 GOOD AMERICANS GO TO PARIS BEFORE THEY DIE

Census Shows That Many There; 113,500 Italians in City of 4,500,000.

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, Dec. 20.—"Good Americans go to Paris when they die" is the saying here. To their infinite numbers must be added 38,623 living citizens of the United States now in Paris. They are presumably good, since they have satisfied the Parisian police of their desirability as residents and have earned a place in the census returns.

The Italians, it would seem, prefer earning a good living now in preference to enjoying Paris in future incarnation, since there are no less than 113,574 of them registered with the police. Most of these sons of Italy are employed in the building trades in and around Paris.

The Belgians come next, with 96,457. The Russians total 56,909 and the Swiss 53,571. The total number of foreigners registered as residents of Paris and its suburbs amounts to 620,865, of a population of 4,500,000.

Coincident with publication of the figures of the foreign population in Paris, composed mostly of workingmen, are the first signs of unemployment in France since 1914. The Labor ministry gives the official figures of unemployment as 3 to 4 per cent, noticeable especially in the automobile, textile, woolen and brewing industries.

CITY CLUB CHRISTMAS FETE IN ENGLISH BARONIAL STYLE

Pomp and Ceremony to Mark Annual Luncheon Party at Noon Wednesday.

Members of the City Club, at their annual Christmas luncheon party next Wednesday noon, will participate in a holiday feast served in the style of old English baronial halls. Pomp and ceremony will mark the occasion, but much jollification is expected, too.

In the club's main dining room there will be a stage simulating the dining hall of an English castle. After the diners are assembled, a lord of the manor, dressed in correct medieval costume, will march in at the head of a train of courtiers, retainers, minstrels and jesters. The waiters will be of the quaint type of the period, serving viands to match. Carolers will burst out in song throughout the meal, and the jesters will display their tricks and quirks.

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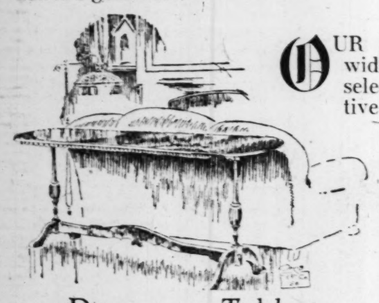

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Let us, at the coming Christmastide, brighten the lives of our less fortunate fellowmen by some kindly act however small, and

We should forget past unpleasantries and forgive, even as we have been forgiven, and "Peace on Earth, Good Will Toward Men", will become a reality instead of a wish.

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(Signed) Harry Prufrock

December 20th, 1924.

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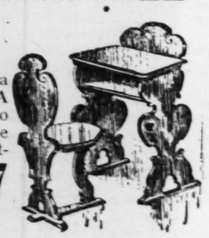

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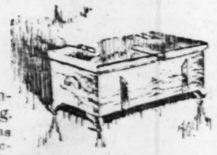

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PART SIX

Joe Laurie in "Plain Jane"

"Blossom Time" "Plain Jane" Offerings at

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IN their Christmas stockings this week theater-goers will find a new musical comedy and an operetta by no means so new. The former is "Plain Jane," with Joe Laurie Jr. and Maxine Brown, at the American; and the latter is "Blossom Time," a piece based on the life and music of Franz Schubert, which played at the Shubert-Jefferson last November and which now returns for a second visit. Both open tonight.

"Plain Jane" was presented last May at the New Amsterdam Theater in New York, and has run for some time at the Illinois Theater in Chicago. It will return to that city for the remainder of the season after its week in St. Louis. At the time of the New York production it was described as "a musical comedy caught up in the momentum of slick, smart dancing;" and it was remarked that "such universal talent in the kick and spin division is not the ordinary thing." Laurie, who won favor here in "The Gingham Girl," has the part of a tough youth promoting a handsome prize fighter, and there is a prize fight in the second act. Miss Brown was last seen here in "Moonlight."

In the cast also are Jay Gould, Marion Saki, Alma Chester, Estelle Penning, J. Irving White, Walter Armin, Charles McNaughton, John M. Troughton, Roland Woodruff, Ernie Mack and Allie Nack. There will be a Christmas day matinee.

Practically the Same Cast.

WITH two exceptions, the cast of "Blossom Time" is virtually the same as that which was seen here last winter. Laura Arnold has replaced Zoe Barnett as La Bella Bruna, and Roy Cropper succeeds Howard Marsh in the role of Franz von Schober. Bertram Peacock again plays the part of Schubert, and William Danforth the bibulous role of Christopher Kranz. Edith Thayer returns as Mitzi, and Yvan Servais as Count Scharntoff. Danforth's daughter, Virginia, makes her first stage appearance in St. Louis in this production.

Others in the cast are Paul Ker, Townsend Ahearn, George Hackett, David Andrada, Erba Robeson, Ferne Newell, Peggy O'Donnell, Mary Stockwell and Alma Keller. New settings and costumes are promised. There will be a special matinee on Christmas day.

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1 pound Pure Glycerine 39c
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Joe Laurie in "Plain Jane"—American.

Bertram Peacock, Edith Thayer and (above) Roy Cropper in "Blossom Time"—Shubert-Jefferson.

Marion Bent in "Shamrock —Orpheum.

Helen Ferguson and Monte Banks in "Racing Luck" —Kings.

"Blossom Time" and "Plain Jane" Holiday Offerings at Theaters

Pat Rooney and Marion Bent at Orpheum—Empress Revives "Good Gracious Annabelle"—"Old Homestead" at Columbia.

IN their Christmas stockings this week theater-goers will find a new musical comedy and an operetta by no means so new. The former is "Plain Jane," with Joe Laurie Jr. and Maxine Brown, at the American; and the latter is "Blossom Time," a piece based on the life and music of Franz Schubert, which played at the Shubert-Jefferson last November and which now returns for a second visit. Both open tonight.

"Plain Jane" was presented last May at the New Amsterdam Theater in New York, and has run for some time at the Illinois Theater in Chicago. It will return to that city for the remainder of the season after its week in St. Louis. At the time of the New York production it was described as "a musical comedy caught up in the momentum of slick, smart dancing;" and it was remarked that "such universal talent in the kick and spin division is not the ordinary thing." Laurie, who won favor here in "The Gingham Girl," has the part of a tough youth promoting a handsome prize fighter, and there is a prize fight in the second act. Miss Brown was last seen here in "Moonlight."

In the cast also are Jay Gould, Marion Saki, Alma Chester, Estelle Penning, J. Irving White, Walter Armin, Charles McNaughton, John M. Troughton, Roland Woodruff, Ernie Mack and Allie Nack. There will be a Christmas day matinee.

Practically the Same Cast.

WITH two exceptions, the cast of "Blossom Time" is virtually the same as that which was seen here last winter. Laura Arnold has replaced Zoe Barnett as La Bella Bruna, and Roy Cropper succeeds Howard Marsh in the role of Franz von Schober. Bertram Peacock again plays the part of Schubert, and William Danforth the bibulous role of Christopher Kranz. Edith Thayer returns as Mitzi, and Yvan Servais as Count Scharntoff. Danforth's daughter, Virginia, makes her first stage appearance in St. Louis in this production.

Others in the cast are Paul Ker, Townsend Ahearn, George Hackett, David Andrada, Erba Robeson, Ferne Newell, Peggy O'Donnell, Mary Stockwell and Alma Keller. New settings and costumes are promised. There will be a special matinee on Christmas day.

Shaw's "Saint Joan" Next Week.

BERNARD SHAW'S chronicle play, "Joan of Arc," will arrive at the American next Sunday night, with Julia Arthur as the Maid of Orleans. It will be followed by "Seventh Heaven." The Shubert-Jefferson announces a musical comedy, "Little Jessie James," for the week of Jan. 4, and Charlot's Revue, a London importation, will have its first St. Louis showing at this playhouse on Jan. 25.

The Empress Theater this week is reviving Clare Kummer's comedy, "Good Gracious Annabelle," which, incidentally, has just been turned into a musical comedy entitled "Annie Dear." Billie Burke is starring in it at present in New York. The local cast will include Hazel Whitmore, J. Glynn McFarlane, Leo Lindhard, Sylva Farnese, Bobby Reed and Francesca Rotoli.

Pat Rooney and Marion Bent are featured at the Orpheum in a five-scene musical comedy, "Shamrock," which requires a cast of 20. On the bill also are Frank and Teddy Sabini, in a comedy, "I

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Henry B. Walthall in "The Birth of a Nation" — Del monte.

Theodore Roberts and Betty Compson in "Locked Doors"—Missouri.

Hitchcock Praised In Non-Musical Production

By HEYWOOD BROUN,
Drama Critic of the New York World.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.

AT the end of the first act it seemed to me that "The Sap" was one of the worst plays I had ever seen, but at that point it took a surprising turn for the better. It is still a little less than good enough. This comedy, by William A. Grew, was presented Monday night at the Apollo.

However, while the second act is on, Raymond Hitchcock has a chance to show that he is a player of abilities probably unrecognized by those who have seen him only in the more familiar musical comedy field. To me he shone in scenes which I would have assumed to be wholly outside his range, for his best moments of the evening came during a situation requiring the creation of swift melodramatic excitement.

Mr. Hitchcock, as the Sap, was called upon suddenly to turn, after the manner of theatrical worms, and assert himself. The despised village clown became for the purposes of the play ruthless, shrewd and masterful. Now, all this Raymond Hitchcock did with great persuasiveness. The traditional slow-paced speech of his musical comedy manner was stuffed off and he

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WHAT THEY ARE *Doing in* MOVIE STUDIOS

MORE than 5000 Roman soldiers and sailors spent several months living the life of the galley slaves of ancient Rome, during the filming of the Roman naval battle scenes at Leghorn, Italy, for the production, "Ben Hur," in which Ramon Novarro portrays the name part. The naval battle was staged 15 miles out on the Mediterranean Sea, with 100 especially constructed galley ships taking part in the fighting.

Three American stars are dominating the motion picture screens of Paris this season. Douglas Fairbanks in "The Thief of Bagdad," completed its third month at the Marivaux Theater with the end of its run not in sight. Mary Pickford's "Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall," has set in for a season of friendly rivalry at the Aubert Theater with record-breaking attendance in its opening week. Charles Chaplain's drama, "A Woman of Paris," is having its general release in Paris and playing 14 theaters day and night, repeating its pre-release success of last spring at the Aubert Theater.

Albert Tavernier, who played the doctor in Richard Dix's "A Man Must Live," has been added to the cast of the star's next film, "The Maker of Gestures," which Paul Sloane has started at the Paramount Long Island studio. Frances Howard and William Powell appear in the chief supporting roles.

When Jack Pickford's new picture, "The End of the World," is released after the holidays, the picture fans will see as his leading woman Norma Shearer. Ann May also has an important role in the picture, which is a comedy drama of the optimism of youth.

As a result of his characterization of Corporal Casey in "The Iron Horse," J. Farrell MacDonald has signed a long-term contract with William Fox. it was announced this week at the New York offices of the Fox Film Corporation. The veteran actor will play character roles in several new productions.

Mario Majeroni, last seen in "Her Love Story," Gloria Swanson's picture, has a role in "Ar-

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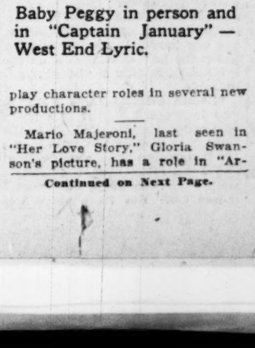
Warner Bros. will not make "The Dear Pretender" in their 1924-25 program as previously announced. Instead a picture with the title definitely decided as "On Thin Ice" will take its place and has been placed in production.

John Gilbert and Aileen Pringle in "Wife of the Centaur"—Loew's State.

Milton Sills and Nazimova in "Madonna of the Streets" —Grand Central and Capitol.



Baby Peggy in person and in "Captain January" — West End Lyric.

Special Christmas Bills Offered in All Movie Houses

Boys Will Run the Kings for the Week—Baby Peggy Appears in Person at the West End Lyric.

TAKING the youngsters into the fold is something new in movie circles. Baseball has done it, with the Cardinal "Knot Hole Gang"; and the city has given the Boy Scouts Boy Scout day.

This week at the Kings boys and girls are in charge of he theater just as the Boy Scouts ran the city on their day a short time ago.

Two weeks ago the announcement was made that the week before Christmas was to be given over to the boys and girls of St. Louis. At that time the audiences were informed that they might nominate their children and youngster friends for the different positions of manager, orchestra leader, film operator, electrician and publicity man. Then, as a special inducement for the girls, a position was created, that of hostess.

More than 1500 nomination cards were turned in during the week. In order to allow as many as possible to take part in the play week, a different staff was decided upon for every afternoon and evening performance during the week, in that way making places for nearly a hundred boys and girls. Last Tuesday night the selections were completed and the total list of nominees made up. Then the following morning each and every one of the successful aspirants was apprised of the selection by a telegram.

Upon the nomination card a space was provided so that the preference of the nominee for any particular position might be signified. The most spectacular position, that of orchestra leader, was the most popular with the youngsters, although the film operator also had his share of admirers. One fond parent offered the suggestion that his scion might do well as owner of the theater.

The selections are completed, and yesterday afternoon and night the first two youth-staffs of the theater went into rule. The managers were true martinets, while the orchestra leader put the house into constant uproar as they mimicked the antics of the regular orchestra leader, Joe Sarli. Then when the boy staff went off duty, they were paid off, at the regular salary rate of the Kings Theater staff, by the boy manager.

At the Kings and Rivoli the comedy drama, "Racing Luck," features the program. The Kings is also staging a seasonal playlet, "A Visit to Toyland," enacted by 26 St. Louis youngsters. Miss Lottie Forbes directs this presentation. As a further attraction at both theaters, two short-length comedies have been added. These are "Westward Whoa," a satire on "The Covered Wagon," and "The Royal Razz," described as being Christmas in snowless Hollywood.

ONE of the most interesting happenings of Christmas week in the local motion picture theaters will be the personal appearance of Baby Peggy at the West End Lyric, as well as the presentation of her picture, "Captain January," adapted from the children's story by Laura E. Richards. Irene Rich and Hobart Bosworth appear in support of the juvenile star in the screen production. "Captain January" is a story of heart-interest, plus comedy, that is not unlike the Coogan type of picture. There are a few tears but behind each moment of pathos is a riotous laugh that eliminates the atmosphere of sadness. The old lighthouse keeper's love for his little mate, whom he calls "Captain January," the discovery that she is the daughter of wealthy New Yorkers, the separation, the reunion later, these and other high lights are said to make it an entertaining picture. Baby Peggy will appear in person at both matinee and evening performances.

LOEW'S STATE offers for Christmas week the screen version of "The Wife of the Centaur." It is a story of the young generation, although not a "flapper" story. King Vidor transferred it to the screen and selected Aileen Pringle to interpret the role of Inez Martin. She is supported by John Gilbert, Eleanor Boardman, Kate Lester, William Haines and others. The stage attractions include Four Rubini Sis-

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Orchestra to Play New Works by Martucci

THE Christmas program of the Symphony Orchestra, on Friday afternoon and Saturday evening of this week, will consist exclusively of orchestral works, including the Fourth Symphony of Brahms and two works by Giuseppe Martucci, "Notturno" and "Novelletta," the first of which will be played for the first time in St. Louis and the second for the first time in America.

Martucci, one of the few modern Italians who have cultivated the symphony and chamber music, was born in 1856 at Capua. He received his musical education at the Conservatory of Naples, and won success as a concert pianist not only in Italy, but in England, France and Germany. For a number of years he was head of the Liceo Musicale at Bologna, and in 1902 became director of the Conservatory of Naples. He died in 1909. The program, as announced by Ganz, is as follows:

1. Overture to Byron's "Manfred," Op. 115 ..... Schumann
2. Symphony No. 4, in E Minor, Op. 98 ..... Brahms
   I. Allegro non troppo.
   II. Andante moderato.
   III. Allegro giocoso.
   IV. Allegro energico e passionato.
3. (a) "Notturno" ..... Martucci (First time in St. Louis.)
   (b) "Novelletta," Op. 82.. Martucci (First time in America.)
4. "Italia," Rhapsody for Orchestra, Op. 11..... Casella

Dedicates Work to Orchestra.

A WORK written especially for the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra and dedicated to it is "Rustic Sketches," by Paul Tietjens, which will be played for the first time at this afternoon's popular concert at the Odeon. Tietjens, a native St. Louisan, composed "The Wizard of Oz," incidental music for Maude Adams' "A Kiss for Cinderella," and the score of "Paolo and Francesca," now current at the Booth Theater, New York. Tietjens, who has lived for some years in New York, will attend the premiere of his work.

Miss Harriet Scholder, today's soloist, comes from New York, and is a pupil of Alexander Lambert. She has toured as a concert pianist. She will play Liszt's A Major concerto. The program follows:

1. March, "St. Louis Symphony,"—Ganz
2. Overture to "The Sicilian Vespers" ..... Verdi
3. Concerto for Pianoforte, in A Major, No. 2 ..... Liszt
4. Suite, "Rustic Sketches," Tietjens (a) "Peaceful Meadows;" (b) "The Hen;" (c) "Barn Dance;" (d) "Evening Song;" (e) "Fairies in the Moonlight."
5. "Abendlied" ..... Schumann
6. Polavtsian Dances from "Prince Igor" ..... Borodine

In honor of the national convention of Music Teachers, Director Ganz has arranged a special program for next Sunday's popular concert, including Deems Taylor's suite, "Through the Looking Glass," which was performed at a recent pair of regular concerts. John Thompson, pianist, of Kansas City, will be soloist, presenting MacDowell's Second Concerto.

Yale Clubs Give Concert.

THE Yale Glee and Banjo Clubs will give a concert Tuesday night at the Odeon. The Glee Club, composed of 34 singers under the direction of Marshall Bartholomew, will represent Yale in the Intercollegiate Glee Club concert in New York during March. The Yale singers have won second prize twice and first prize once in these contests. The Banjo Club is directed by H. N. Rowley.

An organ recital, free to the public, will be given this afternoon at Graham Memorial Chapel, Washington University. Frederick W. Sultan will assist with one number, L. Lea Southgate's Fantasy on "Adeste Fidelis." Also on the program are "Hosannah!" by Dubois; "Fantasy on Old Christmas Carols," William Faulkes; choral in A minor, Franck; "Christmas Bells," Edwin H. Lemare; and "Christmas," Arthur Foote.

The third of the O. Wade Fallert's free organ recitals at the Scottish Rite Cathedral will be given at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Mrs. Bulah Slocom, contralto, will sing three songs. On the program are Von Suppe's overture, "Poet and Peasant;" Macdowell's "Romantic Suite," Batiste's Communion in G, Meyerbeer's "Coronation March," from 'Le Prophete," and other works.

Will Sing "The Messiah."

THE Pageant Choral Society, under the direction of Frederick Fischer, will give its sixth performance of Handel's "Messiah" at the Odeon on the evening of Dec. 30. The voices will be accompanied by orchestra, piano and organ. The soloists engaged are Miss Grace Ernst, soprano; Mrs. Emma Hart, contralto; Luther Taylor, tenor, and Clay Bellew, bass. Miss Ernst is a daughter of the late Alfred Ernst, former director of the Symphony Orchestra.

A new ballet, in a prologue and two acts, is "Don Quixote," which Mme. Anna Pavlowa and her company will present at the Odeon on Jan. 7, the opening night of her engagement of three performances. Mme. Pavlowa takes the part of Dulcinea. The prologue occurs in Don Quixote's house, and Act I is laid in the market place at Barcelona. The two scenes of Act II depict "The Enchanted Forest" and "Dulcinea's Garden."

As one feature of the program of entertainment planned for delegates to the convention of the Music Teachers' National Association, Charles Galloway will give a free organ recital at the Scottish Rite Cathedral on the evening of Dec. 30. Oliver Smith, tenor, will sing songs by the youthful St. Louis composer, John Kessler. A musical vesper service will be given at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Second Baptist Church by P. G. Anton, 'cellist, and Arthur Lieber, organist.

The St. Olaf Lutheran Choir, from St. Olaf College, Northfield, Minn., will give two concerts at the Odeon on the afternoon and evening of Jan. 21. As on previous visits of this celebrated chorus to St. Louis, Dr. F. Melius Christiansen will conduct unaccompanied programs of sacred and classical music.

NEW YORK PIANIST IS SYMPHONY SOLOIST

HARRIET SCHOLDER.

SPECIAL CHRISTMAS BILLS OFFERED IN ALL MOVIE HOUSES

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ters. Hurtado's Royal Marimba Band, which has been held over for a second final week, and a sextette of dancers. A special comedy for the children, "Our Gang," in "Mysterious Mystery," is also on the program.

MILTON SILLS and Nazimova are cofeatured in the production of "Madonna of the Streets," which is to be presented this week at the Grand Central and Capitol theaters. Added attractions will include the Kiddie Follies at the Grand Central, as well as the appearance of Ben Blue, eccentric dancer, who skates without skates. The Capitol will feature appropriate musical presentations of Christmas design. "Madonna of the Streets" is a drama of revenge, involving an adventurous type of woman. She is the mistress of a wealthy man, who cuts her off in his will, leaving his entire fortune to his nephew, a London minister. The woman decides to go to London, win the love of the nephew and indirectly gain possession of the fortune that she considers hers. She succeeds in marrying the minister, but fate decrees that she will never have the fortune, because the minister, working in the Limehouse slum, is accused of hypocrisy by his fellows. They say it's all right for him to have faith with a million dollars in his name at the bank. Accordingly, he decides to give away all his money.

AT the Missouri Theater this week the photoplay attraction "Locked Doors" brings Theodore Roberts back to the screen after an absence of over a year. It is a William De Mille production. The story deals with the problems of a husband and wife unable to maintain happy relations on account of the difference in their ages. Betty Compson is cast as the young wife, Robert Edeson as the husband, Theodore von Eltz is the interloper and Theodore Roberts is the grand old peacemaker for all the parties concerned. The special stage features for the Christmas show include Burnoff and Josephine, Russian dancers, with 10 little ballet artists will present a novelty act, "The Toyland Revue." There will also be a Christmas tree on the stage, which will be brilliantly illuminated by Santa Claus, who will arrive from the North Pole, invite the children of the audience to the stage, and give them presents. Jimmy Cort, an eccentric dancer, will execute a series of fancy soft-shoe and clog dances. Roy Smoot, tenor, will sing a number of popular ballad selections, and Harry Langdon, the Max Sennett comedian, will be shown in "Feet of Mud."

"THE BIRTH OF A NATION," after a lapse of several years, has been brought back and is showing at the Delmonte this week. Added features are a vaudeville act and weekly news and topics of the day.

Palestine Fund Meeting Today.

The fourth annual meeting of Keren Hayesod, or Palestine Foundation Fund, will be held at the Washington Hotel today. The morning session will open at 10 o'clock, and the afternoon meeting at 2 o'clock. Mayor Kiel will welcome the delegates, coming from 80 Jewish organizations in St. Louis and the vicinity. Others who will speak are Rabbi Samuel Sale and Maurice Samuel, author.

Maurice Samuel to Speak.

Maurice Samuel, author, will speak before the St. Louis Hadassah Organization at 2 p. m. tomorrow at the Branscome Hotel. He will speak on 'Health and Hadassah in Palestine."

Shaw Is First Author To Understand Joan of Arc—He Confesses It

WHO was the first writer that ever understood Joan of Arc? It wasn't Shakspeare or Schiller. Neither was it Voltaire, nor Mark Twain, nor Andrew Lang, nor Anatole France, though each of these men of genius undertook an interpretation of the Maid of Orleans. No; the first author really to understand France's canonized Amazon is George Bernard Shaw. With his usual coyness, he admits it himself, and then proceeds to justify the soft impeachment with that air of candor and sanity which recalls nothing so much as the persuasive method of Charles Darwin.

This forms one of the themes of the brilliant preface to Shaw's most recent work for the stage, a chronicle play in six scenes and an epilogue, entitled "Saint Joan," which will be presented at the American Theater next week, beginning Sunday night, with a cast led by Miss Julia Arthur. It will be remembered that Shaw allotted the world premiere of this drama to the New York Theater Guild, in recognition of its hardihood in producing his "Back to Methuselah." Contrary to his habit, Shaw permitted the play to be performed prior to its publication in book form (Brentano's).

Mark Twain "Out of Court."

ACCORDING to Shaw, to understand Joan's history it is not enough to understand her character; you must understand her environment as well. That Mark Twain should have broken down on this misunderstanding is natural enough, he holds, and explains that the "Innocent Abroad," "who saw the lovely churches of the Middle Ages without a throb of emotion, author of 'A Yankee at the Court of King Arthur,' in which the heroes and heroines of medieval chivalry are guys seen through the eyes of a street Arab, was clearly out of court from the beginning."

"Mark Twain's Joan," continues Shaw, "skirted to the ground, and with as many petticoats as Noah's wife in a toy ark, is an attempt to combine Bayard with Esther Summerson from 'Bleak House' into an unimpeachable American school teacher in armor. Like Esther Summerson, she makes her creator ridiculous, and yet, being the work of a man of genius, remains a credible human goody-goody in spite of her creator's valuation. It is the description rather than the valuation which is wrong. Andrew Lang and Mark Twain are equally determined to make Joan a beautiful and most ladylike Victorian; but both of them recognize and insist on her capacity for leadership, though the Scot's pilot is less romantic about it than the Mississippi pilot. But then Lang was, by lifelong professional habit, a critic of biographies rather than a biographer, whereas Mark Twain writes his biography frankly in the form of a romance."

The Shakspearean Joan.

THE first English treatment of Joan of Arc occurs in the first page of the Shakspearean, or pseudo-Shakspearean, trilogy of "Henry VI," in which the maid is one of the leading characters. "This portrait of Joan," Shaw avers, "is not more authentic than the descriptions in the London papers of George Washington in 1780, of Napoleon in 1803, of the German Crown Prince in 1917, or of Lenin in 1917. It ends in mere scurrility.

"The impression made by it is that the playwright, having begun by an attempt to make Joan a beautiful and romantic figure, was told by his scandalized company that English patriotism would never stand a sympathetic representation of a French conqueror of English troops, and that unless he at once introduced all the old charges against Joan of being a sorceress and a harlot, and assumed her to be guilty of them all, his play could not be produced.

"As likely as not this is what actually happened; indeed, there is only one other apparent way of accounting for the sympathetic representation of Joan as a heroine culminating in her eloquent appeal to the Duke of Burgundy, followed by the blackguardly scurrility of the concluding scenes. The other way is to assume that the original play was wholly scurrilous, and that Shakspeare touched up the earlier scenes. As the work belongs to a period at which he was only beginning his practice as a tinker of old works, before his own style was fully formed and hardened, it is impossible to verify the guess. His finger is not unmistakably evident in the play, which is poor and base in its moral tone; but he may have tried to redeem it from downright infamy by shedding a momentary glamor on the figure of the Maid.

Schiller and Voltaire.

"WHEN we jump over two centuries to Schiller, we find 'Die Jungfrau von Orleans' drowned in a witch's caldron of raging romance. Schiller's Joan has not a single point of contact with the real Joan, nor indeed with any mortal woman that ever walked this earth. There is really nothing to be said of his play but that it is not about Joan at all, and can hardly be said to pretend to be; for he makes her die on the battlefield, finding her burning unbearable.

"Before Schiller came Voltaire, who burlesqued Homer in a mock epic called 'La Pucelle.' It is the fashion to dismiss this with virtuous indignation as an obscene libel; and I certainly cannot defend it against the charge of extravagant indecorum. But its purpose was not to depict Joan, but to kill with ridicule everything that Voltaire righteously hated in the institutions and fashions of his day. He made Joan ridiculous, but not contemptible nor (comparatively) unchaste; and as he also made Homer and St. Peter and St. Denis and the brave Dunois ridiculous, and the other heroines of the poem very unchaste indeed, he may be said to have let Joan off very easily.

"But indeed the original adventures of the characters are so outrageous, and so Homerically free from any pretense at or even possibility of historical veracity, that those who affect to take them seriously only make themselves Pecksniffian. Samuel Butler believed the Iliad to be a burlesque of Greek jingoism and Greek religion, written by a hostage or a slave; and 'La Pucelle' makes Butler's theory almost convincing.

Ordeals of Agnes Sorel.

"VOLTAIRE represents Agnes Sorel, the Dauphin's mistress, whom Joan never met, as a woman with a consuming passion for the chastest concubinal fidelity, whose fate it was to be continually falling into the hands of licentious foes and suffering the worst extremities of rapine. The combats in which Joan rides a flying donkey, or in which, taken unaware with no clothes on, she defends Agnes with her sword and inflicts appropriate mutilations on her assailants, can be laughed at as they are intended to be without scruple; for no sane person could mistake them for sober history; and it may be that their ribald irreverence is more wholesome than the beglamored sentimentality of Schiller. Certainly Voltaire should not have asserted that Joan's father was a priest, but when he was out to 'ecraser l'infame' (the French Church) he stuck at nothing."

Quicherat's publication in 1841 of the reports of Joan's trial and rehabilitation placed the subject on a new footing, Shaw proceeds. Typical products were the histories of Mark Twain and Andrew Lang. Later on, Anatole France reacted against this wave of enthusiasm, and wrote a life of Joan in which he attributed Joan's ideas to clerical prompting and her military success to an adroit use of her by Dunois as a mascot; in short, he denied that she had any serious military or political ability.

Skepticism of Anatole France.

"IT has been lightly pleaded," says Shaw, "that Anatole France is a Parisian of the art world, into whose scheme of things the able, hard-headed, hard-handed female, though she dominates provincial France and business Paris, does not enter; whereas Lang was a Scot, and every Scot knows that the gray mare is as likely as not to be the better horse. But this explanation does not convince me. I cannot believe that Anatole France does not know what everybody knows. I wish everybody knew all that he knows. One feels antipathies at work in his book. He is not anti-Joan, but he is anticlerical, antimystic, and fundamentally unable to believe that there ever was any such person as the real Joan."

Having demolished the pretensions of his predecessors, Shaw proceeds to explain his idea of "Saint Joan." By "Saint" one understands him to mean a person of genius. By what we may call a method of realistic imagination, Shaw recreates his heroine as a girl of terrifying ability, who nevertheless was uncouth and illiterate, though by no means ignorant. She referred to the English soldiers as "goddams," until it was explained that this nickname rose from their habit of calling on their God to condemn their souls to perdition. She gives the name of "Polly" to Bertrand de Poulengey, and that of "Jack" to Monsieur John of Metz. The Duke of Tremouille is "Old Gruff and Crum," and the Dauphin himself, at their first meeting is promptly hailed as "Charlie."

"The First Protestant Martyr."

JOAN, the playwright concludes, "is the most notable warrior saint in the Christian calendar, and queerest fish among the eccentric worthies of the Middle Ages. Though a professed and most pious Catholic, and the projector of a crusade against the Husites, she was in fact one of the first Protestant martyrs. She was also one of the first apostles of Nationalism, and the first French practitioner of Napoleonic realism in warfare as distinguished from the sporting ransom-gambling chivalry of her time. She was the pioneer of rational dressing for women, and, like Queen Christina of Sweden, two centuries later, to say nothing of the Chevalier d'Eon and innumerable obscure heroines who have disguised themselves as men to serve as soldiers and sailors, she refused to accept the specific woman's lot, and dressed and fought and lived as men did.

"As she contrived to assert herself in all these ways with such force that she was famous throughout Western Europe before she was out of her 'teens (indeed she never got out of them), it is hardly surprising that she was judicially burnt, ostensibly for a number of capital crimes which we no longer punish as such, but essentially for what we call unwomanly and insufferable presumption. * * * As her actual condition was that of pure upstart, there were only two opinions about her. One was that she was miraculous; the other that he was unbearable."

"Any book about Joan which begins by describing her as a beauty may be at once classed as a romance," Shaw maintains. "Not one of Joan's comrades, in village, court or camp, even when they were straining themselves to please the King by praising her, ever claimed that she was pretty. All the men who alluded to the matter declared most emphatically that she was unattractive sexually to a degree that seemed to them miraculous, considering that she was in the bloom of youth, and neither ugly, awkward, deformed nor unpleasant in her person. The evident truth is that like most women of her hardy, managing type, she seemed neutral in the conflict of sex, because men were too much afraid of her to fall in love with her. . . .

Is This a Portrait of Joan?

"NEVERTHELESS, there is one reason for crediting her with a remarkable face. A sculptor of her time in Orleans made a statue of a helmeted young woman with a face that is unique in art, in point of being evidently not an ideal face, but a portrait, and yet to be so uncommon as to be unlike any real woman one has ever seen. It is surmised that Joan served unconsciously as the sculptor's model. There is no proof of this; but those extraordinarily spaced eyes raise so powerfully the question, 'If this woman be not Joan, who is she?' that I dispense with further evidence and challenge those who disagree with me to prove a negative. It is a wonderful face, but quite neutral from the point of view of the operatic beauty fancier.

"Such a fancier perhaps may be finally chilled by the prosaic fact that Joan was the defendant in a suit for breach of promise of marriage, and that she conducted her own case and won it."

"BLOSSOM TIME" AND 'PLAIN JANE" HOLIDAY OFFERINGS AT THEATERS

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Quit;" Earl Hampton and others in a farce, "Five Minutes From the Station;" Felix Barnard, composer of "Dardanella," with Sidney Townes in a song turn; Lillian Gresham, Mario Palermo and Louis Lazarin, opera singers; and Jack Princeton and Lillian Watson in a comedy, "Too Late."

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"DEATH SCENE" NEARLY REAL

Carmen Handled Roughly by Realistic German Don Jose.

By the Associated Press.

BERLIN, Dec. 20.—Eleanor Schlosshauer-Reynolds, an American singer, who formerly lived in Winchester, Va., and who is now singing leading roles at the Grosse Volks Opera, Berlin, recently had a thrilling experience in the role of Carmen with a Don Jose with whom she had never appeared before.

When the tenor attacked her in the last act he grabbed her and threw her to the floor with such violence that she screamed with pain. She said afterward that she really feared the excited singer would actually kill her when the time came to stab her. Don Jose did not realize how realistic was his acting, and he apologized after the death scene. Carmen's arms were black and blue from bruises and she was unable to appear again for several days because of nervous shock.

"You Promised Me My Life; but You Lied!"

ADRAIN SANFORD, Julia Arthur and Lowden Adams in the great trial scene of George Bernard Shaw's "Saint Joan."

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slipped easily into a fine rush of keenly sharpened action.

Two Bank Cashiers.

THE first act of "The Sap" suggests nothing except that the playwright of the evening is attempting a version of "The Show-Off," vastly inferior to George Kelly's original. But in the second act the new play gets off on its own. "The Sap" has exceeded the usual allowance of bank cashiers, for this time there are two. Naturally there has been a good deal of embezzlement. One employe has stolen $10,000 and the other has made away with $22,000. Their crimes are still undetected, but the Sap learns what has been going on and it is at the point where he remarks, "That bank is just a grab bag," that the play begins to pick up interest.

The suggestion of the hero is that the two cashiers assist him to steal $50,000 and get away with it whereupon they can fasten the blame of the entire shortage upon him and escape punishment. Part of the plan includes the device of binding one of the cashiers with rope so that he can pretend a hold-up in which the Sap has figured as the highwayman. It is not necessary for this to be carried out, because Sap returns to the village before the shortages are discovered and buys the bank. He has been speculating in wheat and, like all stage characters, with the exception of paying tellers, he has prospered mightily.

Hitchcock's Curtain Speech.

THERE is a good deal of fun in this particular turn of the plot, but it would have to be much more ingenious and sprightly to carry the tedious and reminiscent first act. In this opening scene, Mr. Hitchcock seems completely borne down by the weight of the material. This may serve to explain why he has not been very funny in the last few seasons. Evidently the things he had to do were not in themselves happy enough.

Still, Hitchcock contributed upon his own account the funniest line of the evening. In a curtain speech he discussed the tragic experience of thep layer who comes before an audience with a funny line and then discovers that it isn't funny. "There is nothing more terrifying," explained Hitchcock, "than the sudden sound of silence."

Among the surprising events of the evening, as far as I was concerned, was the fact that Raymond Hitchcock played a scene of pathos with fine simplicity and understanding. The supporting cast is middling good and there need be no special citation except for Doris Eaton, who manages to give an altogether lifelike imitation of a woman in a temper.

Elder Schildkraut Acts.

RUDOLPH SCHILDKRAUT, father of Joseph, is an actor in whom there burns a fine and glowing fire. "The Mongrel" is a play which serves only to reveal faint flashes.

In the production which took the stage of the Longacre Theater Tuesday night after having been adapted for American hearing from the German of Herman Bahr, Mr. Schildkraut is seen as a peasant mourning the loss of his mongrel pup.

He presents a lovable and pitiable figure as he proceeds to call out for revenge against the murderer of his Sniffy, but this is not enough of a task for a player who has within his grasp the power to set the very stage rocking beneath his feet when he whispers.

An Evening of Grief.

IT is all well enough that he should have been chosen to act the part of a man who considered violent and deliberate death to four-legged beings as reprehensible as violent and deliberate death to two-legged ones. Here was a nice and promising point, one worthy of any dramatist's attention. But the Elmer L. Rice version of Mr. Bahr's play let it go at just that. Nothing whatsoever remained for Rudolph Schildkraut to do excepting, alas, to devote the greater part of an evening repeating his grief.

There is pitted, perhaps symbolically, against the lowly road mender the aristocratic forester of this German village. It is this gentleman who has seen fit to dispatch the beloved pup of old Mathias. And the forester is possessed of a daughter. And this daughter, in the last act, steps out of her home into the hands of a stranger. Later Mathias appears and, consistent to the end, demands that he be sent to prison to pay properly for the crime. Conscience, which is old Mathias, has made its point.

Adaptation Poor.

IT is likely that a more expert hand at casting, urgently as it was needed, would not have sufficed. A character as quaintly appealing as anything seen on Broadway for months had stepped into a first act and then been abandoned straightway by his authors with little more than a satchel of dittoes.

It is rather well known that "The Mongrel," in its original state as presented before German and other European audiences, has been acclaimed as a dramatic triumph. But something disconcerting has happened to this side of the three-mile limit.

Christmas Play to Be Given.

"Why the Chimes Rang," a Christmas play, will be presented at 3 p. m. tomorrow, in the auditorium of the New Cathedral School, Newstead and Maryland avenues, by the children of the school. Following the play, the Mothers' Club will hold a bazar, and there will be a Christmas tree for the children.

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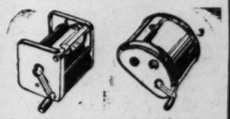

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NOVEL MUST BE DOWNRIGHT PATHOLOGICAL TO CREATE SENSATION, MENCKEN SAYS

Blames 50-Year Fight Begun by Anthony Comstock for Moral Legislation for Drastic Change in Reading Taste.

By HENRY L. MENCKEN, Co-Editor With George Jean Nathan of the American Mercury, and Our Foremost Literary Critic.

I.

IN 1873, when the late Anthony Comstock began his great Christian work, the American flapper, or, as she was then called, the young lady, read "Godey's Ladies' Book." Today she reads—but if you want to find out what she reads simply take a look at the cheap fiction magazines which rise mountain high from every newsstand. It is an amusing and at the same time highly instructive commentary upon the effectiveness of moral legislation. The net result of 50 years of Comstockery is complete and ignominious failure. All its gaudy raids and alarms have simply gone for naught.

Comstock, of course, was an imbecile, his sayings and doings were of such sort that they inevitably excited the public mirth, and so injured the cause he labored for. But it would be inaccurate, I believe, to put all the blame for its failure upon his imbecility. His successor, John S. Sumner, is by no means another such unwitting comedian; on the contrary, he shows discretion and even a certain dignity. Nevertheless he has failed just as miserably. When he took office "Three Weeks" was still regarded as a very salacious book.

The wives of Babbitts read it in the kitchen, with the blinds down; it was hidden under every pillow in every finishing school in the land. Today "Three Weeks" is put down as intolerably banal by girls of 13. To make a genuine sensation it is not sufficient that a new book be naughty; it must be downright pathological.

I have been reviewing current American fiction pretty steadily since 1908, a period of 16 years. The change that I note is immense. When I began, a new novel which dealt frankly with sex was still something of a novelty. The fact, indeed, was so rare that I always called attention to it. Today it is a commonplace. The surprise now comes when a new novel turns out to be chemically pure. Try to imagine an American publisher, in these days, getting alarmed about Dreiser's "Sister Carrie" and suppressing it before publication! The oldest and most dignified houses would print it without question; they print far worse every day. Yet in 1900 it seemed so lewd and lascivious that the publisher who put it into type got into a panic of fright, and hid the whole edition in his cellar. Today that same publisher is advertising a new edition of Walt Whitman's "Leaves of Grass" with "A Woman Waits for Me" printed in full!

II.

WHAT ruined the cause of the Comstocks, I believe, was the campaign of their brethren of sex hygiene. The whole Comstock case, as good Anthony himself used to explain frankly, was grounded upon the doctrine that virtue and ignorance were identical—that the slightest knowledge of sin was fatal to virtue. Comstock believed and argued that the only way to keep girls pure was to forbid them to think about sex at all. He expounded that doctrine often and at great length. No woman, he was convinced, could be trusted. The instant she was allowed to peek over the fence she was off to the Bad Lands. This notion he supported with many texts from Holy Writ, chiefly form the Old Testament. He was a Puritan of the old school and had no belief whatever in virtue per se. A good woman, to him, was simply one who was efficiently policed.

Unfortunately for him, there rose up, within the bounds of his own sect, a school of uplifters who began to merchant quite contrary ideas. They believed sin was often caused by ignorance—that many a virtuous girl was undone simply because she didn't know what she was doing. These uplifters held that unchastity was not the product of a congenital tendency to it in the female, but of the sinister enterprise of the male, flowing out of his superior knowledge and sophistication. So they set out to spread the enlightenment. If all girls of 16, they argued, not unplausibly, knew as much about the dreadful consequences of sin as the average police lieutenant or midwife, there would be no more seductions. So they began printing books describing the discomforts of parturition and the terminal symptoms of lues. These books they broadcasted in numerous and immense editions.

Comstock was bitterly against this scheme. He had no faith in the solemn warnings; he saw only the new and startling frankness, and he believed firmly that its one effect would be to "arouse a libidinous passion..... in the mind of a modest woman." But he was spiked and hamstrung by the impeccable respectability of the sex hygienists. Most of them were Puritan like himself; some were towering giants of Christian rectitude. One of the most active, the Rev. Dr. Sylvanus Stall, was a clergyman of the first caliber—a man who had notoriously saved thousands of souls. To raid such men, to cast them into jail and denounce them as scoundrels, was palpably impossible. Comstock fretted and fumed, but the thing got beyond him. Of Stall's books alone millions were sold. Others were almost as successful; the country was flooded from coast to coast.

III.

WHETHER Comstock was right or wrong, I don't know—that is, whether these sex hygiene books increased or diminished loose living in the republic I don't know. Some say one thing and some another. But this I do know: that they had a quick and tremendous influence upon the content of American fiction. In the old-time novel what are now called the facts of life were glossed over mellifluously, and no one complained about it, for the great majority of fiction readers, being young and female, had no notion of what they were missing. But after they had read the sex hygiene books they began to observe that what was set out in novels was very evasive, and that much of it was downright untrue. So they began to murmur, to snicker, to boo. One by one the old-time novelists went on the shelf. I could make up a long and melancholy roll of them. Their sales dropped off; they began to be laughed it. In place of them rose a new school and its aim was to tell it all.

With this new school Comstock and his heirs have been wrestling ever since, and with steadily increasing bad fortune. Every year they make raids, perform in the newspapers and predict the end of the world, but every year the average is worse than the work of the year before. As a practicing reviewer, I have got so used to lewd and lascivious books, indeed, that I no longer notice them. They pour in from all directions. The most virtuous lady novelists write things that would have made a bartender blush to death two decades ago. If I open a new novel and find nothing about Freudian suppressions in it I suspect at once that it is simply a reprint of some forgotten novel of 1885, with a new name. When I began reviewing I used to send my review copies, after I had sweated through them, to the Y. M. C. A. Now I send them to a medical college.

The Comstocks labor against this stream gallantly, but, it seems to me, very ineptly. They can't, of course, proceed against every naughty book that comes out, for there are far too many, but they could at least choose their marks far more sagaciously than they do. Instead of tackling the books that are frankly pornographic and have no other excuse for being, they almost always tackle books that have unusual literary merit, and are thus relatively easily defended. In consequence, they lose most of their cases. They lost with "Jurgen," they lost with "The Genius," they lost with "Mlle. de Maupin," and they have lost countless other times. And every time they lose they grow more impotent and absurd.

IV.

WHY do they pick out such books? Simply because raiding them gets more publicity than raiding more obscure books. The Comstock Society, like all other such pious organizations, is chronically short of money, and the way to raise it is to make a noise in the newspapers. A raid on "Night Life in Chicago," or "Confessions of an Escaped Nun," would get but a few lines; an attack on "Jurgen" is first page stuff for days on end. The virtuous, aroused, send in their money, and so the society is saved. But when the trial is called and the case is lost contributions fall off again, and so another conspicuous victim must be found.

Well, what is the Comstocks' own remedy for this difficulty? It is to be found in what they call the clean books bill. The aim of this bill is to make it impossible for a publisher accused of publishing an immoral book to make any defense at all. If it ever becomes a law the Comstocks will be able to pick out a single sentence from a book of 350 pages and base their whole case upon it; the publisher will be forbidden to offer the rest of the book as evidence that the whole has no pornographic purpose. Under such a law, anyone printing or selling the Bible will run dreadful risks. One typographical error of a stimulating character will suffice to send a publisher to jail.

But will the law actually achieve its purpose? I doubt it. Such extravagant and palpably unjust statutes never accomplish anything. Juries revolt against them; even Judges punch holes in them. The Volstead act is an excellent specimen. Has it made the country dry?

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AN unexpected event on the local art calendar, the 1924 Art League Thumb Box, is now in progress at the Central Public Library. Its unexpectedness is responsible for one of the most interesting points in the consideration of the exhibit; the fact that the majority of the little pictures were painted for no especial occasion and without a definite idea of exhibition. The display is impromptu, being assembled within one week's time, and is consequently composed of whatever small pictures the local artists had on hand in their studios. A total of 313 pictures and objects of handicraft and sculpture are included in the exhibition. Whether or not this generalization is advantageous is yet to be decided.

A number of local painters are represented in the League's Thumb Box and the Guild's Open Competitive Show simultaneously. Kathryn Cherry exhibits five Gloucester wharf marines at the Thumb Box and five large, serious paintings at the Guild. Included among the latter is the beautiful still life, "Mums," quaintly conventional in its simplicity of subject, two old-blue cradles in brass sticks at either side of the bunch of great chrysanthemums seen before an oval mirror frame with the background of old rose. A color key seldom employed by Mrs. Cherry, renowned for the brilliance and purity of her color, has been effectively used. No slumping in strength of technique has accompanied the modification of color key and the simplification of subject. Force and dignity are combined in this canvas and eliminate the possibility of accusation of a commonplace subject arrangement.

Emily Summa's canvases in both shows are complete pictures. Even in small dimensions and when striving for little more than a sketch, this artist accomplishes a unity that always produces a picture. The little snow picture and the haze autumn scene at the upper right on the screen at the library have compositional and atmospheric niceties. The same attributes are intensified in her paintings at the Guild. Meramec Valley at Sundown" is a studied work in which good color blend is best seen in the effect of distance.

John Eppensteiner's work is taking on decided changes and improvement within the past two years. "Local Showers—Tomorrow Fair," at the Guild is really a powerful picture with frank, forceful thought and similar technique. "The Eleventh Word," cleaned up considerably by Mr. Eppensteiner's ideals of mosaic neatness, recalls "Squatters' Paradise." Several times a year Mr. Eppensteiner produces finished, serious pictures like these three, and also some portrait studies interesting from the Lyendecker standpoint. However, the interim is often filled with small sketches which, I feel, are mere items of studio practice and of importance to no one but the artist. Formal exhibition of these may prove unwise, since their exact relation to his serious, studied work may be misconstrued.

An outdoor floral still life is an exceptionally difficult work to execute. "Purple Cone Flowers," by Emily Phelps illustrates a successful attempt to paint direct from nature. Outdoor greens handled as a background for a clump of growing purple blossoms are well done in this picture. Mrs. Phelps' "Cretonne," a fitting companion piece to "A Piece of Chintz," in the museum's American Show, again shows this artist's sense of design. Also, the colors, which are better rounded in her still life pictures than in her landscapes, are extremely well modulated and harmonious.

"CATTLE WITH LANDSCAPE" by Marie Dieterle, the fine, rich painting formerly belonging in the collection of Mr. Louis Werner, has just been presented to the City Art Museum. The picture is well known in St. Louis, since it has figured prominently in the summer loan exhibitions held at the museum in years gone by. The subject, a herd of cattle seen in marshy meadows, is characteristic of Mme. Dieterle's best work. The daughter and pupil of Emile Van Marcke, it is but natural that her work should reflect some of the master's glory. The picture is strong and is beautifully executed. It is now hung in Gallery 31 of the City Art Museum.

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SIX art objects obtained in Europe during the summer by the director of the City Art Museum are now on public display in gallery 32. A more stupendous collection of treasures probably never has been brought to the museum before at one time. The presence of these objects is the result of the diligent work required in their choice and assembling. The selection of such objects demands a profound knowledge of the various arts represented, abundant good taste and an intuitive appreciation of finesse, a definite estimate of the monetary values and a sixth sense of balance in considering the conditions, relations and circumstances of each collection in the museum and proportioning the objects accordingly.

Eight cases contain the exhibits, with 13 objects in addition which are temporarily installed along the walls. In the first case are Italian Renaissance bronzes, 15 of which are among the things brought from Europe this summer. Two cases contain Egyptian art objects, 25 in one case and 18 in the other. Among these are some renowned treasures, many of which Prof. Jean Capart, noted Egyptologist, who recently lectured here under the auspices of the Archaeological Society, pronounced of highest historic value and great fame. These objects amplify the museum's present Egyptian collection so that it will now embrace Egyptian art from pre-dynastic periods to the Ptolemaic (third century).

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Henry, the King's third son, then will have to bear most of royalty's burden at Mayfair dinners and dances, and at the opening of such fairs as it is customary for the royal family to honor with personal representation.

The announcement has just been made that Prince George, youngest of the royal Princes, and a sub-Lieutenant in the navy, is about to go on a long cruise to Far Eastern waters.

The Prince of Wales starts his South African and Argentine trip on March 25, and the Duke of York and his bride are now traveling to Kenya colony, Africa, on a four months' tour.

The other two English royal Princes, the Duke of Connaught and his son, Prince Arthur, are out of the country, the father in Southern France because he cannot stand the winters in London, and the son in India, where he will remain for some months.

It will be the first time Queen Mary has ever had three of her sons out of the country simultaneously, and she remarked over the Duchess of Devonshire's tea cups the other day that she will not have a really peaceful moment until her brood again put their feet under the family dining table in Buckingham Palace.

As a result of this shortage of royalty for public functions, it is hinted that the Phinces Mary, Viscountess Lascelles, will break away from her Yorkshire hometies and spend the spring months in London, for of late the Queen has felt the fatigue of these undertakings and has consequently greatly cut down her public appearances.

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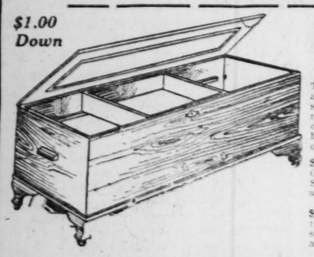

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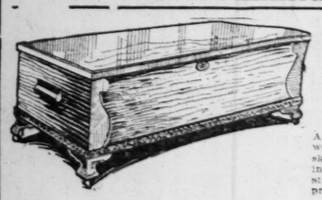

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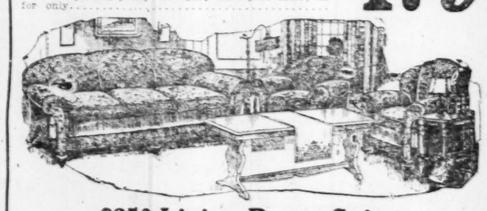

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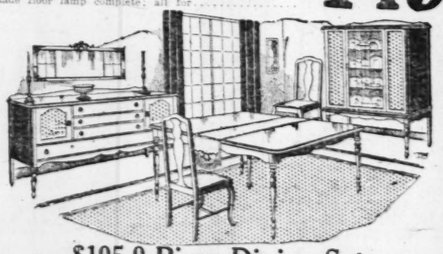

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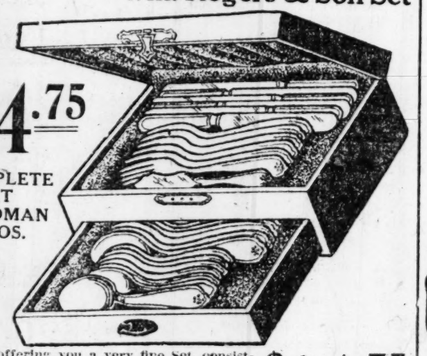

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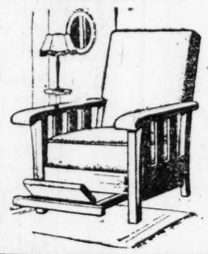

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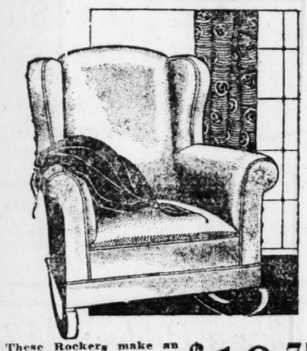

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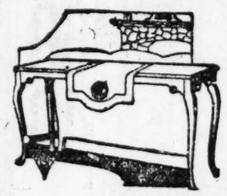

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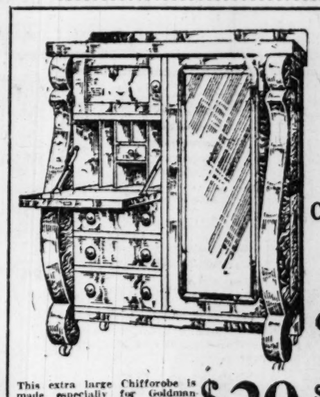

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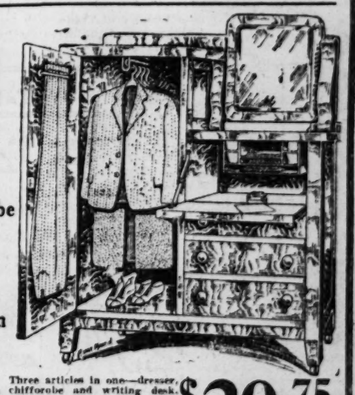

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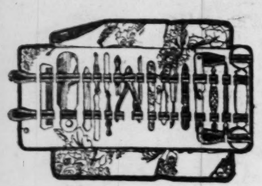

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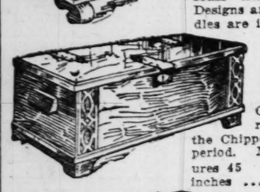

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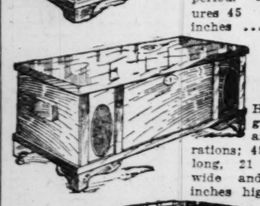

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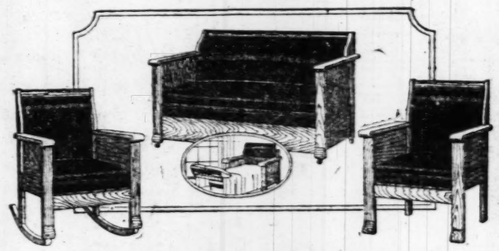

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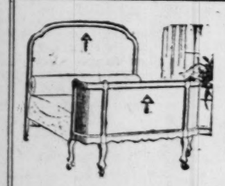

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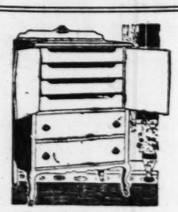

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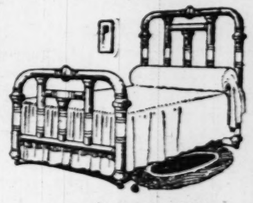

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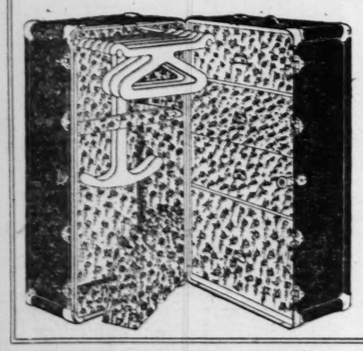

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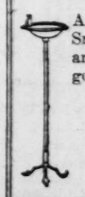

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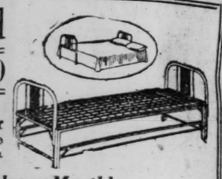

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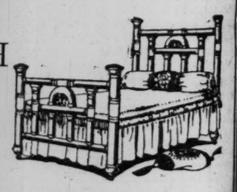

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ALL IN READINESS FOR BIG CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL

Tickets to Coliseum to Be Delivered to More Than 1200 Children Wednesday

DOORS TO OPEN AT 9 A. M. CHRISTMAS DAY AND CLOSE PROMPTLY AN HOUR LATER

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The Bell Telephone Co. will again provide the big Christmas tree around which the Coliseum entertainment will center.

William F. Yorker, superintendent of Recreation, has arranged and will personally direct the presentation of this year's Coliseum entertainment. It is entitled "The Spirit of Christmas," and is the most ambitious of the many performances with which the playground children have entertained in former years. Eight hundred children, recruited from the city's playgrounds will, participate.

The Entertainment Committee.

Included in the Entertainment Committee are:

Fred W. Pape, chairman; William F. Yorger, vice chairman; Henry Abeken, Louis Kittlaus, W. Brennan, Harry Allen, William Hough, Virgil Kimmey, Leo Concannon, Joe Cullinane, I. B. Krukenkamp, Paul Schultz, Edwin Vitt, Ben Kessler, Dr. H. Lehrman, Miss Margaret Breen, Miss M. Agnes Brennan, Miss Margaret Steele, Miss Thelma Witzig, Miss Jessie Christ, Miss Madge Hawe, Miss Felicitie Nally, Miss Anna Chapman, Miss Emma Marie Ruppel, Miss Lorane Judge, Miss Marie Kelly, Miss Mary McDonough, Miss Mary Monahan, Miss Helen Yorger, Miss Carrie Williams, and Messrs. William Heffern and George Thompson.

Following is a brief sketch of the theme of the play whose scene is Joyland and time the present Christmas, together with a list of episodes and symbolic dances:

The Spirit of Christmas.

Hoo-ray! Today is Christmas, the happiest day in the year. In a little while Santa Claus will arrive for the Post-Dispatch Christmas Festival.

He comes from his workshop in the far frozen North, where he has spent many laborious hours, making pretty things for the good little boys and girls of St. Louis, which he has sent in advance of his coming to the Coliseum. Santa delights in the happiness of his subjects, and upon entering the Coliseum is thrilled to hear thousands of little children's voices singing Christmas carols.

Good Santa alights from his sleigh, waves a hearty greeting to all present and shakes hands with the little boys and girls of St. Louis.

The children gather around Santa Claus and express their sincere gratitude for his bounteous gifts, and as an expression of their appreciation, entertain Santa in their own affectionate way, dancing, singing, prancing, bouncing, jumping, etc., as only children can. Santa is so pleased with the children's antics that he mingles with them for a while, and is pleased to hear their cheerful and gleeful voices ring out in glad refrain——

"Santa, dear Santa,
The dispenser of toys,
Accept the gratitude
Of all us girls and boys."

What joy! The spirit of Christmas, good will and jubilation permeates the atmosphere; joy and happiness abound everywhere. All sorrows and cares are forgotten; the Coliseum in St. Louis is clothed in a mantle of good will; the spirit of Christmas prevails.

Santa, however, must not dwell too long in St. Loupis, as he must visit the good little children of other climes; so he bids all farewell, and departs amid great pomp and splendor.

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"I heard the bells on Christmas day,
Their old, familiar carols play,
And wild and sweet the words repeat
Of peace on earth, good will to men." —Longfellow.

Order of Episodes and Symbolic Dances.

Enter the heralds to make ready for Santa Claus. (Girls of the various municipal playgrounds of St. Louis).

Songs—
(a) America.
(b) Silent Night.
(c) Jingle Bells.

Enter Santa Claus, driven by his thoroughbred ponies.

Dance of Tinsel (girls of Carr, Columbus and Mullanphy playgrounds).

Clowns.

Dance of Gold (girls of Marquette and Sherman playgrounds).

Clowns.

Dance of Bronze (girls of Tandy and Leffingwell playgrounds).

Tumbling Toys (pupils of Sherman Park Community Center, especially arranged by Hans Lehrmann).

Yuletide Dance (girls of Mullanphy Community Center).

Clowns.

Dance of Villagers (girls of Dakota, Murphy and Pontiac playgrounds).

Clowns.

Dance of Entertainers (girls of Buder, Carnegie and Tower Grove playgrounds).

Dance of the Spirit of Christmas (two real playground girls).

Clowns.

Dancing Dolls (girls of the Sherman Park Community Center).

Dance of the Holly (girls of Mullanphy Community Center).

Santa's Poines (girls of Sherman Park Community Center).

Prelude

Bauer's Military Band, Christmas Jingles.

Direction

Fred W. Pape, William F. Yorger.

Dancing

Miss Madge Hawe, Miss Margaret Steele, Miss Thelma Witzig.

Costumes

Designed by Miss Margaret Breen. Executed by Mrs. William Steele.

Christmas Tree

Nelson Cunliff.

Properties

Ernst Strehle, Adolph Boefer, John Moritz, Alfred E. Edwards, Otto Remmelin. Staff Secretary, M. Agnes Brennan. Assistant, Felicite V. Nally.

Santa Claus, Louis Kittlaus Sr.

Captain Tumbling Toys, Hans Lehrmann.

The work of a number of the committees will be completed prior to Christmas day, but the following will find Christmas the most active day in the year:

Gift Buying and Distribution.

Robert D. Corlett, chairman; George A. Menkel, vice chairman; Messrs. and Mmes. R. E. Loff, William Lang, Ed Levanion, Al. Colowick, Fred Kisslinger, John Lagermann, L. Eyermann, J. Engel, Frederick Hambrock Jr., the Misses Flossie Bucksatt, Winifred Lang, Evelyn Heckwolf, Genevieve Heckwolf, Hilda Behring, Bertha Kleinberg, Peggy Lampert, Ida Senturia, Lucille Brenton, Gladys Williams, Ruth Bernard, Nina Gordon, Laura Monken, Helen Stussie, Verna Berns, Marcella Larson, Lillian Miller, Catherine Winkler, Helen Reader, Loreth Knuepple, Mildred Crews, B. Heslip, Ruby Moxley, Lois Price, Jean Haid, Viola Craig, Josephine Grich, Marion Ward, Ruth Steinseick, Bernice Burns, Mrs. G. Menkel and Messrs. J. A. Bleakney, William Bick, Edward Moeller, George Paul, Robert Marty, Elmer Brimmer, Gillie Lewis, Sam Meyerson, George Moxley, Harold Drese, William Harrison, Kermit McClelland, Gus Reck, C. Lynn and Belmont Drese.

Hall.

H. J. Bube, chairman; Al. Vetter, R. Miller, M. Rubenstein, F. J. Meyer, Henry Edelmann, W. O'Leary, George Knapp, L. J. Kern, W. A. Bube, Frank Fincke, Joseph Coyne, Carl Sternbenz, George Metzler, M. J. Kridell, Ed Riedunger, Lou Remstadler, Charles Dapron, C. J. Hardy, H. B. Smith, T. Fischer, Homer Browning and P. W. Judah.

Police and Fire Protection.

William L. Igoe, chairman; Martin O'Brien and William G. Panzer.

Finance.

J. R. Cooke, chairman; Emil Lucas, Samuel J. Kieffer, M. E. Holderness, George L. Mudge and I. H. Kentnor.

Pipes and Tobacco.

C. J. Kehoe, chairman.

Medical.

Dr. A. H. Sippy, chairman; Drs. E. Culp, J. Wilbur Shankland and John R. Vaughan, nurses from the Missouri Baptist Sanitarium and a city ambulance, through courtesy of Dr. Walter A. Rohlfing.

Tree and Decorations.

Nelson Cunliff, chairman; Edward Hidden and six park departmental workers.

Transportation.

Col. A. T. Perkins, chairman.

Door.

Oscar Stifel, chairman; Alfred A. Vetter, Charles Gessner, Elmer Gessner, R. J. Williams, A. C. Davis and J. P. Harlin.

Lost Children.

Samuel J. Russack, chairman; Messrs. and Mmes. Louis G. Ollan, David Charak and Albert F. Epstein; Mmes. Gladys Russack and Sarah S. Cook and Messrs. Ralph G. MacCoy, Ralph Hirsch, William F. Riley, Henry F. Hafner and Jacob Engel.

Automobile Transportation.

Maurice Weil, chairman; Harry Schwartz, Louis Rosen, Dave Cohen, Walter Zelnicker, Phil. Selzer, Charles Wolf, Ferd Bach and Oscar Leonard.

Crippled Children.

Miss Margaret Fleishman, chairman; Mmes. Sol Meyer Jr., Herman Mayer, Ben Graff, A. Shank, M. Finkelstein, A. A. Margulis, Ferd Bach, Simon Rosenberg, Morris Fleisher, Walter Goldman, S. Riegler, Licht, Henry Haffner and Hattie Levy.

The Letter to Santa Claus

By W. H. JAMES.

"The letter is written,
The ink is all dry,
When a tear comes a-stealing
To Mary Belle's eye.

"It's a very nice letter,
But useless, I guess,
Because we don't know
Dear Santa's address.

"But Bob fixed it quickly
With flourish and scratch:
'Care the Festival Fund
Of the Post-Dispatch.'"

WHERE CHILDREN MAY OBTAIN TICKETS FOR CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL

TICKETS for the entertainment at the Coliseum Christmas morning, will be distributed to children only between 2 and 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 24, at the following places:

1. Soulard Playground, Seventh and Soulard streets—Chas. Dauer in charge.
2. Mullanphy Playground, Eleventh and Mullanphy streets—Miss Madge Hawe in charge.
3. Public Bath No. 3, Twenty-third and O'Fallon streets—I. B. Krukenkamp in charge.
4. Y. W. C. A., Garrison and Lucas avenues—Col. Wm. H. Butler in charge.

Tickets for organizations will be issued at 330 Municipal Courts Building.

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"PETER PAN" WILL BE SHOWN FOR CHILDREN IN CONNECTION WITH FESTIVAL CELEBRATION

Photoplay of Famous Fairy Story Will Be at Missouri Theater Next Friday Morning For Boys and Girls.

THE joy of this year's Christmas Festival—the twenty-fifth recurrence of the great community hospitality—will last more than one day for hundreds of the boys and girls of St. Louis, for along with the other presents to be distributed at the Coliseum on Christmas morning will be given tickets for the Missouri Theater's special showing of "Peter Pan" on Friday Morning, Dec. 26. This is the Missouri Theater's gift to those of the city's children who annually attend the big Festival—children to whom much that children should have is denied and to whom Christmas would be but a bleak mockery were it not for the Post-Dispatch Festival Association.

Sir James Barrie wrote "Peter Pan" a generation ago and the charm of the modern fairy story endures. It is a picture of happiness, of youthful romance, of imagination and love. Betty Bronson, selected by Barrie himself for the title role, has an ideal supporting cast of players including Ernest Torrence playing Captain Hook, Mary Brian in the role of Wendy and Cyril Chadwick, Virginia Brown Faire and Anna May Wong. The classic which Maude Adams immortalized on the stage loses none of its appeal on the screen and the Executive Committee of the Festival Association is confident that the children will be entertained by it as they could be by no other picture that could be offered.

In addition to this picture of a boy who wouldn't grow up, there will be a special feature, "Missouri Theater Toyland," by Burnoff and Josephine, dancers, assisted by a company of eight local girls. Santa Claus will attend the performance and personally oversee the lighting of the immense Missouri Christmas tree, and Christmas music will be provided by the Joseph Littau's orchestra and Milton Slosser, organist. And while there is a wealth of comedy and laughter in "Peter Pan" there will be a Mack Sennett comedy to complete the program.

Altogether it is a Christmas gift which may well be envied by children of the well-to-do to whom "movies" are not a novelty nor Christmas a season of things just beyond reach.

12,000 VOICES TO UNITE IN CAROL FOR SANTA CLAUS

Cycle of Three Songs to Be Offered by Festival Guests — Horns to Be Given All Attending.

Christmas day at the Coliseum Festival would not be Christmas without noise. Long ago the Festival Association recognized the youthful urge for self-expression, and for many years gay-striped horns have been included in the gifts which are annually distributed to the small guests. You've no idea until you hear thousands of them simultaneously how much honest-to-goodness joy can be packed into the toot of a horn.

This year there will be horns—enough for all the boys and girls who attend the twenty-fifth Christmas Festival. And the Entertainment Committee, through the cooperation of the public schools, has arranged another outlet for the exuberance of its guests.

When Santa Claus enters the Coliseum arena on Christmas morning to join his supporting company of 800 playground children in the elaborate entertainment, there will be a big surprise for him. From gallery and balcony, and even from the special boxes which will accommodate the crippled children—will ring the voices of happy children—12,000 of them—singing a Christmas carol. "Silent Night, Holy Night," for many decades the favorite carol of young and old, written just 100 years ago by Pastor Mohr and Teacher Gruber of Salzburg, Austria, will be one of a cycle of three songs. The two others will be the national anthem, "America," and "Jingle Bells." The words of these selections and their airs are being taught in all public schools in preparation for the event. This will be the first time in the history of the Festival that an effort has been made to harmonize any share of the almost deafening tumult which is an established part of the mammoth entertainment.

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THE TANGLED COMIC COMPETITION

$15,000 in Cash Prizes for Readers of the Big Sunday Post-Dispatch

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Get Your Scissors and Paste—Enter the Competition This Week—You May Be Among the Winners!

WEEKLY PRIZE DISTRIBUTION

$100 *in cash for the most meritorious solution submitted.*
$50 *in cash for the solution next in order of merit.*
$100 *in four prizes of $25 each for solutions next in order of merit.*
$250 *in twenty-five prizes of $10 each for solutions next in order of merit.*
$300 *in sixty prizes of $5.00 each for solutions next in order of merit.*
$100 *in forty prizes of $2.50 each for solutions next in order of merit.*
$200 *in two hundred prizes of $1.00 each for solutions next in order of merit.*

GRAND PRIZE DISTRIBUTION

$1000 *in cash for the most meritorious solution during the 12 weeks' period.*
$500 *in cash for the solution second in order of merit.*
$200 *in cash for the solution third in order of merit.*
$100 *in cash for the solution fourth in order of merit.*

There will be $1100 in prizes each week for 12 weeks—a total of $13,200—plus grand prizes of $1800 at the end of the competition—making $15,000 in all.

Everybody Is Eligible!

Everybody, except employes of the Post-Dispatch or members of their families, is eligible to enter this competition. Lots of fun and worthwhile cash awards await those who successfully solve the Tangle.

There Is No Entry Fee!

The pastime is far more fascinating than the usual cross-word or cut-out puzzle. Accuracy, neatness, skill, originality or unique method of rearrangement are considered in the award of the prizes.

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Rare Stamps Sell Well.

PARIS, Dec. 20.—A total of 18,-[illegible] francs has been realized from the 11 auction sales already held of the Renotiere collection of rare postage stamps, and there still remain enou[illegible] twelfth sale. brought 1,954,[illegible] 81-para stamp of 1858 francs.

EXTRA! MONDAY
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MEN'S NEWEST, HIGH[illegible]
SHOE[illegible] & OXFORDS
VALUES UP TO $6, $8 & $12
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Made of heavy vulcanized fiber; three-ply veneers; heavy brass corners, hinges, bolts and spring lock; close top. $19.75
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Ladies' Fitted Week-End Cases, blue or pink lined,
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TOYS HALF
& LESS. READ PRICES CAREFU[illegible]
$3.00 Kiddie-Kar $1.49
$1.75 to $2.50 Dolls..... 99c
$1.50 A-B-C Blocks..... 79c
$5.00 Dressed Dolls $2.49
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50c Toy [illegible]
50c Butch[illegible]
$2 ELECTRIC READING LAMP
All brass, as illustrated SPECIAL 88c
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GIFT SUGGE[illegible]
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Men's Felt Slippers, assorted colors, moccasin styl[illegible]
Ladies' Fancy Felt House Slippers—many are silk-[illegible]
Men's and Ladies' Fancy Beacon Blanket Robes, v[illegible]
Men's Robes, large assortment of fancy patterns, v[illegible]
Men's Dress Gloves, complete line, prices reduced
Black Leather Automobile Mitts, sheepskin lined, a[illegible]
Men's $4 Fancy Sport or House Coats, 2 front pock[illegible]
Men's Heavy Wool Sweater Coats, values up to $1[illegible]
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PARIS, Dec. 20.—A total of 18,-[illegible]4,329 francs has been realized from the 11 auction sales already held of the Renotiere collection of rare postage stamps, and there still remain enough stamps for a twelfth sale. The eleventh sale brought 1,984,640 francs. A blue 81-para Rumanian-Moldavian stamp of 1858 was sold for 51,000 francs.

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Total	$6,542 84

England Has 41 Portias.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—When seven women candidates were called to the bar a few days ago they brought the total number of female barristers practicing in England to 41. Among the 99 candidates were one American citizen and a citizen of Russia. No rule exists preventing foreign subjects from being called to the English bar.

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Birth Stone Rings, Diamond-set	25.00
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Platinum engraved, on Solid White Gold. Two Blue-White Diamonds in raised settings.
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Bracelets—White Gold, Flexible, Diamond-set	50.00
Wedding Rings, Platinum, engraved,	25.00
Cultured Pearl Rings	8.50
Fancy Stone-set Rings	5.98
Mesh Bags, Whiting & Davis	10.00
Cameo Rings, 2 Diamonds	25.00
Scarf Pins, Diamond-set	10.40
Diamond Studs	25.00
Belt Buckles, Gold Filled	3.75
Belt Buckles, Sterling	4.50
Tie Clasps, Solid Gold	3.00
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The 'Loretta' Solid 18-k. White Gold. $50 $1.25 a Week

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Christmas Sale—
Beckman Player-Piano
With Floor Lamp Player Bench Music Rolls

$435.00

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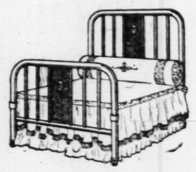

All Steel Bed—Like Cut

Has massive two-inch continuous posts—ornamental panels in head and foot. Richly enameled in walnut finish. Unusual value at our price.

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This Brunswick Royal Console *With Twelve Selections* $119.50

The Newest Brunswick Records

4-Piece Walnut Veneer Bedroom Set
Only $6.00 a Month Pays for This

A Splendid Christmas Gift for Wife or Mother

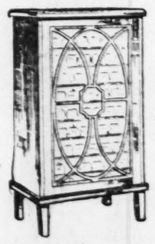
THIS 4-piece walnut veneer Bedroom Suite includes a bow-end bed, a large dresser, a full-size vanity dresser and a chifforobe—as illustrated. The dresser has large drawers and French plate mirror. The chifforobe is 48 inches wide and 20 inches deep and has two small drawers. The vanity dresser has triplicate mirrors. A regular $175.00 value—special at..... $159.75

Handsome Davenport Tables
Ideal for Gift Giving

$1.00 Cash $14.85 $1.00 a Month

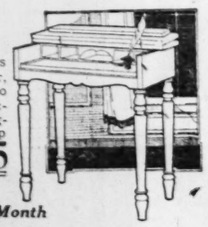
HERE is a wonderful value for you. This beautiful Davenport Table has 18x60-inch top. Never before sold for less than $25.00. Its new and artistic design will delight you. Note the convenient credit terms.

Secretary
Like cut—in mahogany or walnut finish—special at
$41.75



For Music Rolls
Large size—holds 90 music rolls—glass door—special at
$23.75

Special Offering of Spinet Desks



THE old Colonial Spinet Desk is now more popular than ever, and we are in fortunate position to offer this lot at a decided reduction. Exactly like cut—in mahogany finish, with sliding desk top and full complement of pigeon holes. This is the usual $35 quality..... $21.95

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Special
Kitchen Cabinet—like cut—$50 value—special,
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Reduced Prices!!

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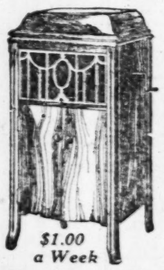


$1.00 a Week

The "Masterola"—plays all records—a truly remarkable value—
$49.50

WE are closing out all Victor, Sonora and Columbia Phonographs that have been used for demonstration. The number is limited—

Victor Victrola—	$125.00 value....	$98.50
Sonora—	$125.00 value....	$87.50
Columbia—	$125.00 value....	$59.50
Victor Victrola—	$150.00 value..	$122.50
Columbia—	$150.00 value....	$69.50
Sonora—	$165.00 value.....	$49.50

$1.25 a Week $59.50

This Console *With 12 Selections* $59.50

Special! Walnut-Finish Cedar Chest

$3.00 Cash—$2.50 a Month

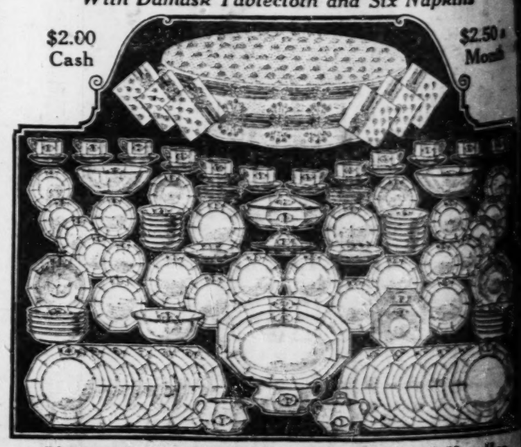
A CHRISTMAS gift that will be appreciated. This beautiful Cedar Chest is finished in rich walnut and lined with red cedar. Large size—45 inches long. Will fit in with any walnut bedroom furniture. A regular $35.00 value. Special in this Christmas sale..... $22.95

Doll Carts
Christmas Special

THESE Doll Carts are just the gift for children. Finished in brown, gray or blue. Rubber-tired wheels and steel gear. Adjustable hood. We offer a large lot of these pretty Doll Carts at the special price of..... $3.45

100-Piece Gold-Handle Dinner Set
With Damask Tablecloth and Six Napkins

$2.00 Cash $2.50 a Month



Choice of Six Decorations—All With Gold Handles

THE assortment comprises just the dishes that every good housewife will prefer. The tablecloth and six napkins which are included with this Set are high-class, full-bleached, satin-finish cotton damask of a high quality that will give utmost satisfaction. The tablecloth is round—58 inches in diameter—and the napkins are 17½x17½ inches. All pure white and having a very pretty border design and small flower decoration all over. It's a wonderful $40.00 value.... $28.95

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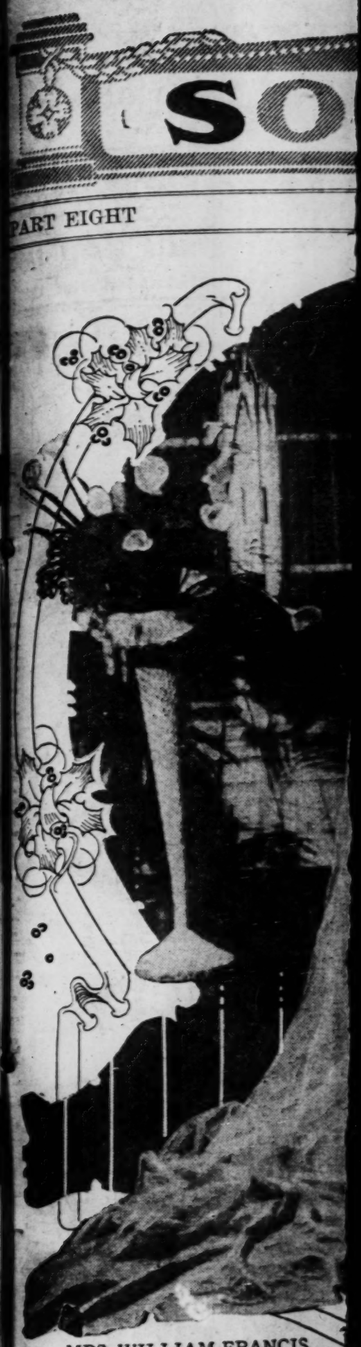

PART EIGHT

MRS. WILLIAM FRANCIS NIEDRINGHAUS,
who was until Wednesday, Miss Evelyn Dixon Brown.

Bewildering Array of P
On Christmas W
Yale Men

St. Louis Crowded With Visit
for School and College Set
mand.

EACH year, as the spirit of the Christmas envelopes the world, social demands beco with visitors, the pressure of Yuletide pr ances at the calendar for the next fortnight re at one doubts the ability of the various grou

As usual, the school and college set are ach in demand, and the next few days, each ith more than its quota of festivities, will fford possibly more than the needed respite om books.

The whirl in reality began yesterday with tea dance given by Mrs. Edward Magnus d Mrs. William Robert Orthwein for their and daughter, Miss Lily Busch Magnus, d Robert Baldwin Orthwein at 15 Portland ce. The guests were members of the school , many of whom arrived scarcely in time the party, on belated trains from the Ice-nd East. Tonight, the debutantes and her members of the college set will attend a ffet supper given by Mr. and Mrs. Champe Conner Jr. for their nieces, Misses Barbara d Deborah Ware of New York, and Miss abeth Foley.

The calendar for the entire week is printed ewhere in this section, and in addition to functions annotated, there are many aller ones. Monday, Tuesday and Satur-y are the outstanding days. Tomorrow is Mrs. J. Clark Streett's luncheon for Maud, a student at Wellesley; Miss Elise ittemore's dinner dance at the Country . Mr. and Mrs. Edwin H. Steedman's tea e at the same club for their daughter, Almira; Mrs. Robert Burkham's lunch-

SUNDAY,
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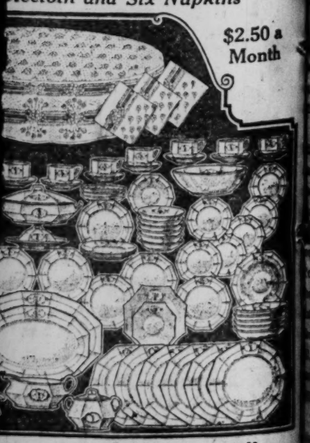

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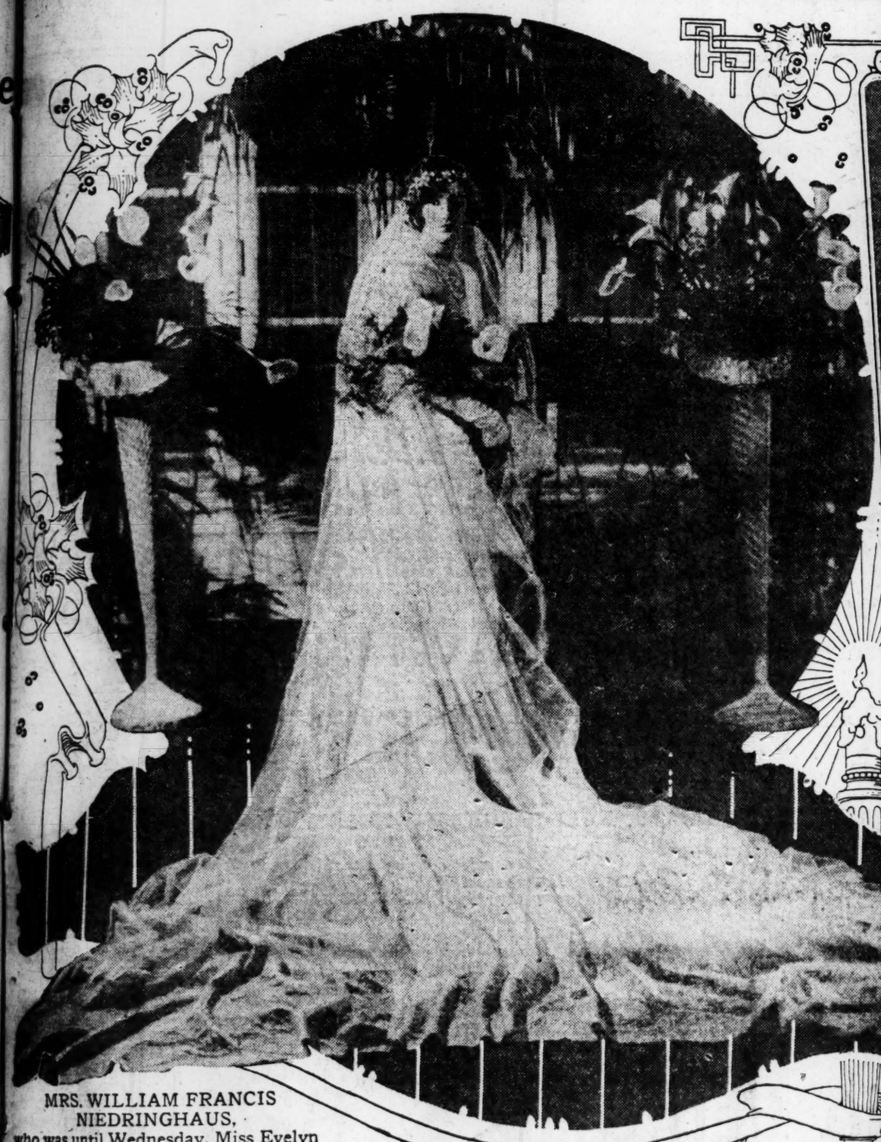

MRS. WILLIAM FRANCIS NIEDRINGHAUS, who was until Wednesday, Miss Evelyn Dixon Brown.

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MISS ELIZABETH HOBLITZELLE. She was an honor guest at a subdebutante party last night at the St. Louis Country Club.

BECKMAN

—Sid Whiting

MISS JANE ALLEN, who will be hostess at a luncheon for the school set Dec. 31.

MISS MARION WHITBREAD. Announcement of her engagement to Lloyd J. Speed was made recently.

Bewildering Array of Parties On Christmas Week Calendar; Yale Men to Be Entertained

St. Louis Crowded With Visitors—Many Events Scheduled for School and College Set — Glee Club Members in Demand.

EACH year, as the spirit of the Christmas Festival with its attendant merrymaking envelopes the world, social demands become more strenuous. With St. Louis crowded with visitors, the pressure of Yuletide preparations has become absorbing, and a glance at the calendar for the next fortnight reveals such a bewildering array of parties that one doubts the ability of the various groups to attend all to which they are bidden.

As usual, the school and college set are much in demand, and the next few days, each with more than its quota of festivities, will afford possibly more than the needed respite from books.

The whirl in reality began yesterday with the tea dance given by Mrs. Edward Magnus and Mrs. William Robert Orthwein for their son and daughter, Miss Lily Busch Magnus, and Robert Baldwin Orthwein at 15 Portland Place. The guests were members of the school set, many of whom arrived scarcely in time for the party, on belated trains from the ice-bound East. Tonight, the debutantes and other members of the college set will attend a dinner supper given by Mr. and Mrs. Champe Lowner Jr. for their nieces, Misses Barbara and Deborah Ware of New York, and Miss Elizabeth Foley.

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Entertainment of the Yale University men here with the Glee Club on its Christmas tour will occupy most of Tuesday. Mrs. Dwight Dana has invited the St. Louis Yale men and their sisters, the 50 members of the club, the debutantes, and a few buds of last year to a tea dance at the Country Club from 3 to 6 o'clock, and most of the party will attend the concert at the Odeon. In the evening members of the Embassy Club will give parties for various of the visiting men at their dance at Hotel Chase. The ballroom will be decorated in the Yale colors, and guest cards will be provided for the members who desire the privilege of extending them. At the same time Dr. and Mrs. Greenfield Sluder will entertain others of the club at a dance at the Country Club.

The array of parties for next week is even more formidable. In chronological order, beginning with Sunday, Dec. 28, there is a mixed tea by Mrs. Guthrie McConnell for Miss Frances, from 5 to 7 o'clock, 4748 Westminster place; a similar affair by Dr. and Mrs. John Green for Miss Helen Green and Harmon Green, at their home, 243 Westgate avenue; a mixed tea by Mrs. Charles E. Michel for her daughter, Miss Marie von Phul Michel, 5720 Julian avenue; a tea by Miss Dorothy Cramer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Cramer, Webster Groves; and a buffet supper given by Mr. and Mrs. William V. Schevill for their son, William E., home from Harvard, at Mr. Schevill's studio, 314 North Euclid avenue. On Monday, Dec. 29, Mr. and Mrs. Lee I. Niedringhaus will give a dance at the St. Louis Country Club for Miss Marjorie; Mrs. J. Sheppard Smith, luncheon for Misses Mary Ambrose Smith and Josephine Bates, 4334 Westminster place; tea dance, Mrs. William H. Moulton, for Miss Grace Moulton and William Watkins Moulton, St. Louis Woman's Club, 4 to 7 o'clock; luncheon dance, Mrs. Horatio Nelson Spencer, for Misses Harriet and Helen Spencer, 11 to 2 o'clock, 4324 McPherson avenue; luncheon, Miss Lucille Howard, for Miss Wilhelmina Howard, 370 Walton avenue; luncheon bridge, Mrs. Carl F. Dick, Miss Dorothy Dick, for Miss Dorothy Dinan of Syracuse, Coronado Hotel; luncheon bridge, Mrs. H. M. Blank for Miss Dorothy Blank, Forest Park Hotel; dinner party, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Haskell, for Miss Lucy Haskell and Norman Haskell, at their home, 4453 West Pine boulevard; on Tuesday, Dec. 30, Mr. and Mrs. David Milton Boyd of "White Oaks," Kirkwood, will give a dance for their young daughter, Miss Emily; luncheon, Mrs. Frank B. Coleman for Miss Marianne, 5042 Washington boulevard; tea dance, Mrs. Clement William Nelson, for Miss Charlotte Eleanor Nelson and Clement Nelson Jr., 4:30 to 7:30 o'clock, St. Louis Woman's Club; luncheon bridge, Mrs. George B. Wearen, for Miss Elizabeth Wearen and Miss Dorothy Dinan, Waterman avenue.

Wednesday, Dec. 31, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Davis will give a New Year's eve dinner party for their daughter, Miss Alita, at their home, 13 Westmoreland place, and later the guests will attend a masquerade at which Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Johnson will be hosts, for their granddaughter, Miss Marjorie Niedringhaus. The party will be given at the Johnson home, 25 Portland place. That afternoon Mrs. W. W. Strickler will have a tea for her daughter, Miss Martha, at the Forest Park Hotel, and at the same time, Mrs. W. M. Robinson will give a bridge luncheon for her granddaughter, Miss Virginia McVoy, 5148 Cabanne avenue. Miss Jane Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford B. Allen, will be hostess at a luncheon, 2010 Longfellow boulevard. The annual New Year's eve dinner dance at the Country Club will be an important item for that day's calendar. On Thursday, New Year's night, Dr. and Mrs. William Engelbach and Mr. and Mrs. George Merrell will give a dance for their daughters, Misses Elizabeth Engelbach and Ruth Merrell, at the St. Louis Woman's Club, and there will be a luncheon dance at the Country Club. On Jan. 2 Mrs. Rolla Wells will give a dance for her daughter, Miss Eleanor Church, 25 Westmoreland place, and the following day Mrs. Horace Rumsey will have a luncheon for her daughter, Miss Louise, at the St. Louis Woman's Club.

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MISS HENRIETTA HADLEY, daughter of Chancellor and Mrs. Herbert S. Hadley, who is home from Smith College for the holidays.

—Schweig Photo.

MRS. MORGAN COIT DAY, formerly Miss Amy Johnson Rule. Her wedding took place at Christ Church Cathedral Dec. 12.

Miss Harriet Moore Makes Bow to Society Amid Yuletide Setting

Brilliant Affair Given by Mr. and Mrs. L. Wade Childress for Miss Jane Whiteside—Several Theater Parties Are Planned.

MISS HARRIET MOORE chose the Christmas season in which to make her formal bow to society, and her debut ball, given Friday night at the St. Louis Club by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Moore, was the last of the present season.

The spirit of the holiday was reflected in the scarlet and green with which the clubrooms were decorated. Hundreds of poinsettias nestled in smilax and ferns banked the balustrades to the ballroom, and gave a brilliant touch of color to the room. Wreaths, tied with broad satin ribbon, gave warmth to the walls, and stretched overhead were long ropes of smilax festooned into almost a canopy. The stage for the orchestra was partially screened by poinsettia plants and ferns, and gift baskets of flowers of all shades gave a colorful background to the receiving party.

In the dining room, where supper was served at 11 o'clock, dozens of red candles in silver candelabra lighted the tables, and ferns and red flowers formed the centerpieces. Several hundred guests, including a number of visitors in town for the holidays, attended, and, preceding the party, many of them were entertained at dinners. Among the hostesses were Misses Mary Howell Betts and Mildred North, debutantes, and Misses Elizabeth Tupper and Judith Dana. Miss Moore has been invited to become a member of the Junior League and is one of the three debutantes who is to attend the Imperial ball, Jan. 16.

One of the largest parties at the St. Louis Country Club dinner dance last night was that given by Mr. and Mrs. L. Wade Childress in honor of Miss Jane Whiteside, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cooper Whiteside. There were 60 guests. Among the young women were Misses Elizabeth Foley, Pamela Harrison, Eleanor Simmons, Grace and Janet Wallace, Lucy Terry, Dorothy Claggett, Elizabeth Bemis, Mary Louise Cotter, Mildred North, Catherine Hall, Virginia Simmons, Frances Chase, Jessie Carr and Marjorie Little.

On Dec. 26 Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Baird Mc-

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Social Calendar for the Week

SUNDAY, DEC. 21.

Buffet supper, Mr. and Mrs. Champe Carter Conner for Misses Barbara and Deborah Ware and Elizabeth Foley, 4342 Maryland avenue.

MONDAY.

Luncheon, Mrs. J. Clark Streett for Miss Maud Streeit, 4218 Lindell boulevard.

Luncheon, Mrs. Robert Burkham for Miss Margaret Burkham, 5035 Westminster place.

Tea dance, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin H. Steedman for Miss Almira Steedman, 4 o'clock, St. Louis Country Club.

Dinner dance, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton L. Whittemore for Miss Elise Whittemore, St. Louis Country Club.

Theater party, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas W. Robert for Miss Isabelle Douglas Robert.

TUESDAY.

Concert, Yale Glee and Banjo Clubs, Odeon, 8:15 o'clock.

Tea dance, Mrs. J. Dwight Dana and Richard and Robert Brent Dana, for the Yale men, 3 to 6 o'clock, St. Louis Country Club.

Dinner dance, Embassy Club, Hotel Chase.

Dance, Dr. and Mrs. Greenfield Sluder, for Miss Virginia Sluder and Yale men, St. Louis Country Club, after concert.

Dinner dance, Mr. and Mrs. Ben G. Chapman Jr., for Miss Alice Louise Chapman, Bellerive Country Club.

Tea dance, Mrs. Louis Frank Mahler for Misses Margaret and Jane Mahler, 4 to 7 o'clock, Brentmoor.

Buffet supper, Miss Evelyn Stewart, Mr. Seymour Stewart, for Miss Dorothy Eason and Floyd Stewart Jr., 5261 Washington boulevard.

WEDNESDAY.

Dinner dance, Mr. and Mrs. George Fox Steedman, for Misses Medora Steedman and Eugenie Edmunds, St. Louis Country Club.

CHRISTMAS DAY.

Informal reception, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Tupper for Miss Elizabeth Tupper, 11 to 1 o'clock, 14 North Kingshighway.

Informal reception, Mr. and Mrs. Charles White Scudder for Mrs. Earl Reynolds, 11 to 1 o'clock, 75 Vandeventer place.

Dance, Mr. Elliot K. Ludington, Mr. and Mrs. Donaldson Lambert for Miss Florence Ludington, St. Louis Country Club.

FRIDAY.

Luncheon, Mrs. Thomas C. Hennings for Miss Ruth Hennings, Bellerive Country Club.

Dinner dance, Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Holmes for Miss Mary Brooks Holmes, St. Louis Country Club.

Dance, Judge and Mrs. William Dee Becker, for Miss Anna Louise and Alan Dee Becker, 5321 Delmar boulevard.

Dinner dance, St. Louis Woman's Club.

Theater party, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Baird McDonald, for Miss Jane Whiteside. Supper, Hotel Chase.

SATURDAY.

Luncheon, Mrs. Henry Leverette Chase, for Miss Frances Chase and Miss Genevieve Barnickel, Florissant Valley Country Club.

Dinner dance, Mrs. Henry Clarkson Scott, Miss Alice Scott, for Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Blumer, St. Louis Country Club.

Dinner dance, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart McDonald, for Miss Carol McDonald, 24 Washington terrace.

Dinner dance, Mr. and Mrs. Wayman McCreery Allen, for Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon B. Wallace Jr., St. Louis Country Club.

Dinner dance, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Hoblitzelle, Miss Lucy Hoblitzelle, for Miss Marjorie Little, St. Louis Country Club.

Dance, Mr. and Mrs. Frank von Brecht, for Miss Flavia von Brecht, 6 Forest Ridge.

Tea dance, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Blumeyer, for Miss Mildred Blumeyer, St. Louis Woman's Club.

MANY ST. LOUISANS RETURN HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS

Mrs. Godfrey Stillman Rockefeller of Albany, N. Y., is with her father, Benjamin Gratz of the Chase Hotel, for a week. She was formerly Miss Helen Gratz.

Mrs. John W. Day, 318 North Newstead avenue, has closed her home and gone to Boston to join the Rev. Dr. Day, who was formerly pastor of the Church of the Messiah.

Mrs. M. L. Robbins, who recently returned from a world tour, is visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr and Mrs. Theodore Shelton of Lindell boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bailey, 4556 West Pine boulevard, and their daughter, Miss Carolyn Bailey, will go to Fayette, Mo., to be with relatives over the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. David N. O'Neill and their family, will be in St. Louis for Christmas after an absence of two years in Europe. They will be the guests of Mr. O'Neill's father-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Boyd Jr. of Westminster place.

Mrs. Lee Petit Warren of Washington, D. C., will be with her parents, Mr and Mrs. Festus J. Wade, 4532 Lindell boulevard, for the holidays. Mrs. Warren was here last week and departed Wednesday. Her daughter, Miss Lenore Scullin, who is in school in Paris this winter, will be a debutante next season.

Mrs. James Ross Clemens of Webster Groves and her daughter, Miss Muriel, have returned from a fortnight's visit to Washington, D. C. Dr. and Mrs. Clemens' son, Cyril, has returned for the holidays from Georgetown University. He will entertain the Mark Twain Literary Club the evening of Dec. 28 with a lecture on Alaska by Maj. John Gotwalls, Engineering Corps, U. S. A.

Miss Luzette Aaron, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lew Aaron, 4607 McPherson avenue, will depart today to visit her twin sister, Mrs. I. H. Lee of Louisville, Ky., for two weeks.

Mrs. Arthur Donnelly of Chicago and her small child are visiting Mr. Donnelly's mother, Mrs. Charles Atkins Marquis, 6153 Westminster place. Mrs. Donnelly was formerly Miss Virginia Conzelman of St. Louis. She was hostess at a bridge luncheon yesterday at the Missouri Athletic Association.

William and Theron Green, sons of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Green, 6203 Washington boulevard, returned home yesterday to spend the holidays with their parents. William is a student at Princeton University and Theron attends Mercersburg Academy at Mercersburg, Pa.

Miss Mary Louise Hammett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank U. Hammett, 6331 Pershing avenue, has returned home this week from Ogontz School in Philadelphia for the holidays. She will have as her guest, Miss Helen Cook of Berkeley, Cal., a student at Smith College. Miss Celeste Hammett, a student at the Sacred Heart Convent at Maryville, also will spend the Christmas season at home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McKendrew of New York, and Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Parkinson of St. Paul, Minn., are in St. Louis to visit relatives over the holidays. Mrs. McKendrew and Mrs. Parkinson are sisters. Mrs. McKendrew was Miss Helen Kammerer before her marriage, and with her husband is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kammerer, 723 Interdrive.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul K. McGoffigan and small daughter, Jeanne Marie,

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MISS HARRIET MOORE MAKES BOW TO SOCIETY

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Donald will give a theater party for Miss Whiteside, followed by a supper at Hotel Chase.

Another debutante function planned is a theater party and supper to be given for Miss [illegible] Little, debutante daughter and Mrs. Alden H. Little, [illegible] Jane Parsons, daughter of John B. Denvir Jr., Jan. 1.

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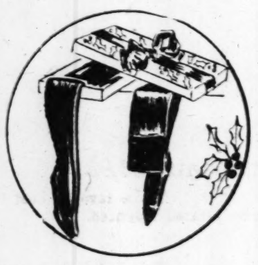

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Statler Hotel, Mrs. Edward Hotchkiss, 4392 Maryland avenue; Jefferson Hotel, Miss Elizabeth Cook, 3 Hortense place; American Hotel, Miss Frances Compton, 18 Kingsbury place; American Annex, Miss Dorothy Brown, 5261 Westminster place; Busy Bee Lunchroom, Miss Lauralouise Price, 6320 Forsythe boulevard; St. Louis Lunchroom, Miss Mary Lemon Sipple, West Brentmoor; Leonard's Restaurant, Mrs. Ethan Shepley, 422 Lake avenue; Specht's Restaurant, Mrs. Foster Hampton, 424 Lake avenue; Benish's, Eighth and Olive streets, Miss Marion Franciscus, 10 Lenox place; Benishs, 710 Olive street, Miss Elizabeth Robert, 5240 Washington boulevard; Child's, Seventh and Olive streets, Miss Helen Mills, Forest Park Hotel.

Others who have arranged to assist are the following:

Misses Catherine Louise Crunden, Jessie Carr, Marjorie Little, Grace Wallace, Elizabeth Luyties, Katharine Steedman, Dorothea Nagel, Marceline Reyburn, Emily Shepley, Katharine Sipple, Judith Dana; Mmes. Oliver Anderson, Jack Lonberger, Harold Bixby, Asa Wallace and John Shepley.

Women who are serving on the General Committee of the association are: Misses Carolyn Bailey, Charlotte Taussig, Lottie Mae Bose and Gertrude Maull; Mmes. Dorsey A. Jamison, Joseph W. Lewis, Harvey G. Mudd, George C. Hitchcock, E. H. Steedman, Sidney Schwab, H. S. Crossen, George Gellhorn, Charles M. Rice and J. Lionberger Davis.

Voluntary contributions will be received in all the hotels and restaurants, under the supervision of the hostesses, and added to the fund that will be collected by neighborhood groups, which will be used for poor children of St. Louis not provided for by other agencies.

C. OF C. TO GIVE "HIGH JINKS"

Gifts Made by School Pupils to Be Distributed at Party.

The annual Christmas "High Jinks" party of the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce will be given in the organization's dining room at noon Wednesday. Gifts made by second-grade pupils of the Irving School will be distributed.

A prologue, presented by school children, and musical numbers by the St. Louis Quartet, will feature the program. Mayor Kiel and W. Palmer Clarkson, president of the Chamber, will deliver brief Christmas messages.

Gold Star Highway Meeting.

A public meeting will be held in the Public Service Room, No. 208, of the City Hall at 2 p. m., Dec. 30, to discuss means of making St. Louis the Gold Star Highway center, and also to plan the erection of a tower in the Kingshighway Gold Star Court of Honor, surmounted by a perpetually burning Gold Star light.

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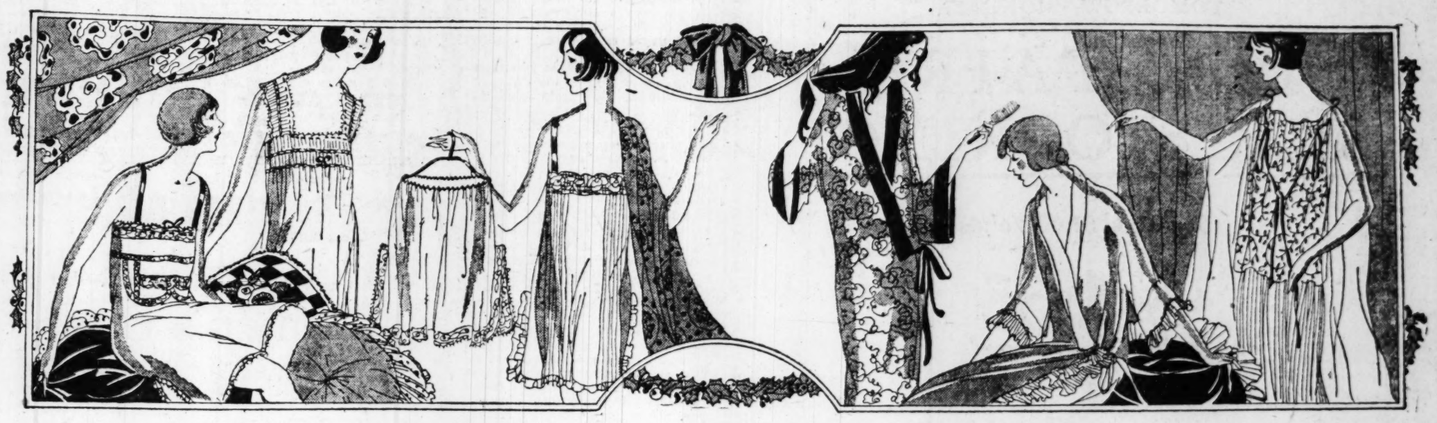

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WHAT MISSOURIANS IN WASHINGTON ARE DOING

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—A brilliant dinner in the White House in honor of the Cabinet signaled the opening of the official season on Thursday when President and Mrs. Coolidge entertained for the members of their official family. Among the guests outside of the members of the Cabinet and their families was Mrs. Frederick Dent Grant of St. Louis and Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Breckinridge Long, who opened their home in Sixteenth street N. W., last week in order to be in town for the Russian fete, which was attended by the Grand Duchess Cyril, have gone to Long Island for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bertram Roberts Jr. announce the marriage of their daughter, Margaret Drake, to Mr. Claude Duvall Williams Jr. of Kansas City Mo. After a wedding trip they will be at home in Kansas City.

Mrs. Frederick Dent Grant will leave here tomorrow for her winter home, "The Acacias," Sarasota, Fla., accompanied by her granddaughters, Princess Bertha Cantacuzene and Princess Ida Cantacuzene, where they will join Prince and Princess Cantacuzene for Christmas. Mrs. Grant and her daughter will return to Washington Jan. 9.

After spending Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. James H. Thompson, in New Orleans, Mrs. Champ Clark of Bowling Green, will come to Washington with Mrs. Thompson where they will spend a part of January and where Mrs. Thompson will attend the meeting of the Democratic National Committee of which she is a member.

Missouri's two debutantes in Washington, Miss Beatrice Henderson and Miss Nancy Benoist, will be the center of the activities of the younger set during the Christmas holidays. Mrs. Lee Benoist is giving a series of luncheons for her daughter and also will entertain at a dinner dance. Miss Henderson will be the guest of honor at several luncheons to be given by friends of her grandmother, Mrs. John B. Henderson.

Mrs. Selden P. Spencer was the guest of honor at the meeting of the Business Women's Council. Ever since she has been in Washington she has been interested in the council, which is organized by business and professional young women who wish to carry on religious work. Mrs. Spencer frequently teaches the Bible class which precedes the meetings.

Representative and Mrs. Cleveland Newton are planning a Missouri evening during the holidays to which not only the members of the Missouri Society, of which Representative Newton is president, will be invited, but all other Missourians in Washington.

Miss Margaret Bowie Grant, formerly of St. Louis, is making her mark in the musical world in Washington and is frequently the piano soloist at entertainments.

School children's day at the midday Christmas services arranged by the District Federation of Women's Clubs yesterday was presided over by Mrs. Howard L. Hodgkins. The Christmas story was told by Madge Beck, formerly of St. Louis.

Mrs. Breckinridge Long has been designated to play the American game of mah jongg with the human mah jongg set for the benefit of the Belleau Wood Memorial Association, Feb. 6. Mrs. Leigh C. Palmer and Mrs. Harry New also will play. Mrs. Long entertained a group of the young girls, who will be the mah jongg tiles, at luncheon last week and entertained at a tea for the members of the committee also.

Mrs. Dwight F. Davis, wife of the Assistant Secretary of War, was among official women who attended the luncheon of the ladies of the Senate, at which Mrs. Coolidge was guest of honor last week. Mrs. Davis is taking a keen interest in the working of Congress and usually occupies a seat in the reserved gallery.

In accordance with the rest of official society Mrs. James A. Reed, wife of Senator Reed, and Mrs. Selden P. Spencer, wife of Senator Spencer, will not observe their weekly days at home until after the New Year.

Mrs. Bessie Parker Brueggeman, chairman of the Employes' Compensation Commission, was among the guests at the dinner held by the women's cabinet composed of women in executive positions in Government, last week.

Many St. Louisans Among Recent Arrivals at Miami, Fla.

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MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 20.—Miller Winston of St. Louis has arrived at the Alta Vista Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Geissler of St. Louis are among the recent arrivals at the Roberts Hotel.

Frank C. Whitehurst of St. Louis is registered at the Leamington Hotel.

P. Hilson of St. Louis is stopping at El Commodoro Hotel.

Chris Schmitt of St. Louis is in Miami for a visit of six weeks.

New arrivals at the Hotel Haddon are A. E. McMillan and L. H. Johnson of Centralia, Ill.

A. J. Barker of St. Louis is stopping at the Dolphin Hotel.

At the Goudey Apartments for the winter season are Col. Farwell Walton and daughter, Miss Blanche Walton; Robert McD. Walton, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Eldridge, all of St. Louis.

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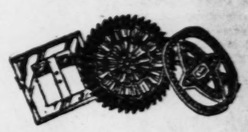

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1	Gold Lace Gown, coral bead trimmed	95.00	75.00
2	Velvet Gowns	89.50	49.50

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3	Evening Gowns	$79.50	$49.50
2	Evening Gowns	75.00	45.00
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2	Evening Gowns	65.00	35.00
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1	Afternoon Dress	$99.50	$55.00
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2	Afternoon Dresses	69.50	39.50
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Owing to the removal of the Town Club to its new home at 1122-24 Locust street, the program committee decided to omit the annual Christmas party. It is suggested instead that the members contribute toys for the Christmas cheer of afflicted children in St. Louis hospitals. Musical and mechanical toys, dolls, books, picture puzles, cloth animals and books may be selected for gifts to the sick boys and girls, and sent to the club for distribution by a special committee. Service will be suspended at the club Saturday, Dec. 27, until Jan. 3, when the new club house will be dedicated with an all-day series of entertainments, starting with breakfast for business women members and including a luncheon, afternoon reception, dinner and dance in the evening.

Mrs. Charles W. Bryan Jr. of Jersey City, N. J., national corresponding secretary of the World War Registrars, who has been conducting the correspondence with the Governors and the State Highway Departments to secure a specific number for the Gold Star Highways, will visit Des Moines, Ia., at the request of Gov. Kendall to confer with his committee about launching the Gold Star Route of Iowa before he leaves office. Mrs. Bryan then will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank de Garmo, of St. Louis, before returning to New Jersey.

The Delphi Delphians met in the Barr branch of the Public Library, instead of their regular meeting place, Community Hall, Monday, Dec. 15. The roll was called by Mrs. H. L. Salisbury and was answered with current events. The president, Mrs. H. W. Schmale, read a summary of the previous lesson and Mrs. Bertha Voit led in the discussion of "Drama as a Religious and Moral Force." The next meeting will be held Jan. 5.

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Dress	$99.50	$55.00
Dress	75.00	49.50
Dresses	69.50	39.50
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Many of the fresh, happy faces you see in the stores nowadays are due to comfortable shoes. One can be on one's feet all day in smart Cantilevers and then feel like dancing "half the night."
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St. Louis U. Alumni Organize. Word was received at St. Louis University yesterday of the organization in Kansas City of an alumni association of St. Louis University in that city. Officers selected were Dr. G. Wilse Robinson, president; Dr. Eugene P. Hamilton, vice president, and Dr. E. R. Dewease, secretary-treasurer. An effort is being made to organize similar groups in other large cities.

CONROYS 1100 Olive THE GRAND STORE

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A New $645 Value Baby Grand—Conroys Startling Offer

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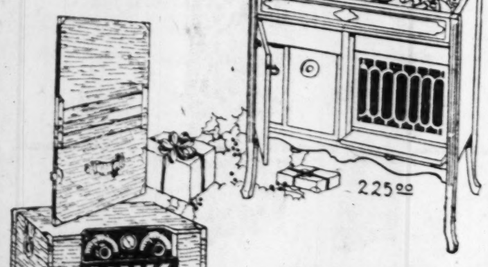
Let the Gift Be Worthy of Your Thought—Give a Radio

Freed-Eisemann Radio $150

THE Freed-Eisemann N. R. 6, five-tube Neutrodyne has achieved a reputation for simplicity in operation, for getting distance and for fine selectivity. A model that has many good points radio fans will appreciate.

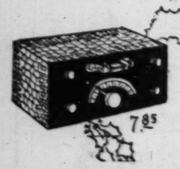
Sonoradio, $225

Overwhelming demand for an instrument which would embody better features of both the radio and phonograph has resulted in the production of the Sonoradio. This Sonora phonograph with a three-tube Neutrodyne receiving set, dry cell operated.



Operadio $195

"Operadio" is the original self-contained Radio Set, portable, good looking and thoroughly reliable. It has a loud speaker, six tubes, batteries and all parts contained in compact cabinet. The cover is the aerial, tuning is simple and the tone is clear.



Crystal Set $7.85

This dependable Radio for receiving local stations is easily operated and simple to install. It brings in all local programs and will give you many hours of real enjoyment. Included at this price are a pair of head phones, aerial wire and Ducon plug.

Radiola Super Heterodyne, $269

The peer of all Radiolas is this Radiola, illustrated below. It is particularly designed for use in cities and areas local to broadcast stations where the erection of an antenna is impracticable and where an extremely high degree of selectivity is imperative. It employs the super-heterodyne second harmonic principle.

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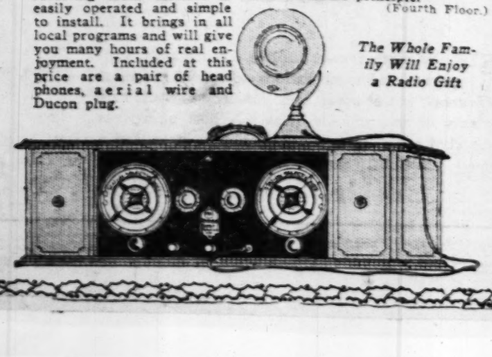

The Whole Family Will Enjoy a Radio Gift

Convenient Payment Terms can be arranged. Deliveries will be made before Christmas.

PARTIES AND OTHER ENTERTAINMENTS

Mrs. William d'Arcy of 6 Hortense place will entertain with an informal tea this afternoon.

Miss Celestine McGee, daughter of Mrs. Ida Canty McGee of 608 Westgate avenue, will entertain a group of friends at a luncheon and bridge at the Gatesworth Hotel, today, in honor of Miss Charlotte Bristow of Chicago, who is her guest. There will be 24 present.

Mrs. William Whitney Sr. was given a surprise birthday party last week by her sister, Mrs. Charles Drill, and Mr. Drill, at the home of Mrs. William J. McKinney, daughter of the honor guest, 1449 Hodiamont avenue. There were 35 guests.

Mrs. H. R. Culling of 6829 Waterman avenue gave a bridge tea for the members of the Monday Charity Club, Dec. 16. There were 50 guests. Mrs. Culling's two daughters served.

The Columbian Club has announced a Christmas night dinner dance, a children's party for Friday afternoon, Dec. 26; a dinner dance for the college set, Dec. 26, and a New Year's eve ball for members only.

Mrs. Minnie Williams of 746 North Fourteenth street, East St. Louis, who has been confined to her home for some time as the result of an accident, was the honor guest at a surprise party given for her Friday evening. The guests were: Misses Ruth Vater, Ruby Vater, Myrtle Larson, Emily Moss, Hazel Moss, Mayme Connley, Anna Frisch, Leona Franks, Lilian Andrews, Effie de Link, Mrs. Jack Kincaid, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Crowall, Mr. and Mrs. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Meyers and Otto Frisch, Hubert Connell, Ralph Jaros, Gilbert Welch, Robert Williams and Frank Williams.

ST. LOUIS CLUBS BUSY WITH HOLIDAY AND OTHER EVENTS

Continued from Preceding Page.

Junior Council's annual dance will be mailed out by Jan. 1. Judge Hartman rendered a very interesting talk about the courts and how they functioned, at the last regular meeting, held at the B'nai Amoona Congregation, Sunday, Dec. 14. The Dramatic Circle presented a humorous sketch, entitled "And the Light Went Out." The Juniors are having a hike to Chain of Rocks, Sunday, Dec. 21. "Meet at the end of the Taylor car line, at 9 o'clock, in front of Linn's Grove, with a Broadway transfer, and bring your own lunch," the instructions read. Junior Council's Sabbath will be observed at B'nai El Temple, Spring and Flad avenue, on Friday, Dec. 26. Rabbi Miller expects a large attendance of Junior Council members, having a special topic to discuss.

The Friendly Club will have a Christmas entertainment at 2:30 p. m. Sunday at Barr Branch Library. Refreshments will be served and visitors are welcome.

The Christmas meeting of the St. Louis Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will be held at the Jefferson Memorial, Dec. 26, at 2 p. m. Guests of members are invited.

The St. Louis Lonely Club will have its Christmas party in Westminster Hall, 3806 Olive street. "Santa Claus" will be the guest of honor. Those interested are invited.

The Wanderers' Club has had three interesting meetings this year. On Nov. 12, Mrs. E. J. Hoffman told of the work being done by the Americanization Committee. On Nov. 26, Mrs. Nancy Coonsman Hahn gave an account of her work and experiences in France. At the last meeting, held at the home of Mrs. H. M. Edmunds, Mr. A. Blair Riddington spoke on "The Great Religions of the Present Day." The regular Christmas party will be held the evening of Dec. 29 at the home of Mrs. C. E. M. Champ.

The St. Louis Study Club met at the home of Mrs. H. L. Conner, 416 Belt avenue, Dec. 8. Mrs. C. H. Magruder spoke on current events, and Mrs. W. H. Whitton read a paper on "The Laws Governing the Colonies During the Colonial and Revolutionary Period." Mrs. John W. Lionberger read a paper on "The Constitution of the United States, the Story of Its Adoption and What It Means." The club will meet with Mrs. Lionberger, 7032 Kingsbury boulevard, Jan. 12.

EDITOR COUSLEY APPOINTED POSTMASTER OF ALTON, ILL.

Succeeds William J. Fries, Deceased: Has Been in Charge of Office Since May.

Paul B. Cousley, editor of the Alton Evening Telegraph, who has been acting as temporary postmaster at Alton since last May, was nominated for the postmastership there yesterday by President Coolidge. His nomination will be sent to the Senate immediately for confirmation.

Cousley was one of three applicants for the position, and was appointed upon recommendation of Congressman Edward E. Miller of East St. Louis. The other candidates were J. W. Beall and Paul Armstrong. Cousley was born and reared in Alton. He succeeds William J. Fries, who died last February.

Typhoid in New York City.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Twenty-three new cases of typhoid fever were reported to the Health Department today, as compared with 26 cases yesterday. The disease is of a mild type and the mortality rate is not high, Commissioner Monaghan reported.

USED—LIKE NEW HART SCHAFFNER & MARX

LADIES' COATS $6 to $14

Cost when new $50 to $75.
Other made Coats as low as $1.
Used Dresses as low as $1.
Ladies' Suits as low as $1.
Skirts, all wool, 50c.

1200 NEW COATS

Fur Collar, collars new...$7.95
Cloth Coats, new...$5.95
Bolivia Coats, new...$9.95
Fur Jacquettes...$25.00
Fur Coats, long...$35.00
Sealine Coats...$35.00
Girls' Coats...$2.95
Boys' 2-Pants Suits...$4.95
Boys' Overcoats...$2.95
Men's Leather Vests, used..95c
New Sheep-Lined Coats, sizes to 38...$6.95
Used Overcoats...$4.50
Hart Schaffner & Marx Used Overcoats from $8 to $18

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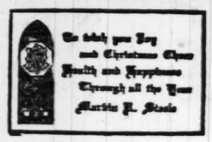

Your two-letter French monogram, name and special verse typographed on Christmas Cards (as illustrated), truly carry an individual message of yuletide cheer not accomplished by ordinary Cards—and cost no more. Size of Cards 5¼x3¼.

25 Cards and Envelopes.... $2.75
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Other designs, $1.45 for 25

Our embossed Christmas Cards are of rare beauty—see them.

Orders filled in 24 hours. Mail orders given prompt attention.

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Buckles and Beltograms

Make Appropriate Christmas Remembrance

No. 5362—Attractive silver deposit Buckle, in hammered effect, chased border, and cut-out initial. Black cowhide bridle Belt—complete in holiday box..... $1.00

No. 5328 — Silver front Buckle in the popular engine-turned effect with neat border with raised block letter. Morocco grained Belt. In gift box. Priced complete..... $1.50

No. 8421 — Silver-front Buckles with raised allover designs—with small cut-out initial. Burnished borders. Black hand boarded, black cowhide Belt—gray suede lined. Boxed, complete at..... $2.00

No. 4141—Sterling silver Buckle in cushion shape, with satin-like center. Black hand-boarded cowhide Belt, with gray suede lining. Boxed; complete..... $2.50

No. 5346 — Engine-turned sterling silver Buckle, with burnished border and cut-out initial. Belt of black, hand-boarded calfskin with golden ooze lining. Boxed, complete..... $3.50

No. 34421 — Silver-front Buckle, special octagonal shape with small cut-out initial. Belt of hand-boarded cowhide — gray suede lined. Boxed complete. Priced at..... $2.00

Beltogram to match, $1.00.

No. 5366—Silver deposit Buckle, with engine-turned effect, chased border and raised Jap letter. Black or cordovan belt. Boxed. Complete for..... $1.00

No. 5358 — Silver-front Buckle in elaborate chased design, with cut-out initial. The Belt is of Morocco grain leather. In attractive gift box. Priced..... $1.50

No. 8442 — Silver-front Buckle in hammered effect with enameled letter and raised block letter. Black hand-boarded cowhide Belt, gray suede lined. Boxed, complete..... $2.00

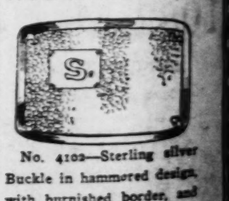
Beltogram to match, $1.00.

No. 5103—Sterling silver Buckle, attractive satin finish with burnished border and small cut-out initial. Lined black horsehide Belt with russet suede linings. Boxed, complete..... $3.50

No. 9803—Beltogram to match Buckle, $1.50.

No. 5108—Engine-turned, sterling silver Buckle, with neat cut-out initial and burnished border. Black pin seal, hand-boarded belt. Complete, boxed..... $5.00

Sterling silver Beltogram to match buckle, $2.50.



No. 4102—Sterling silver Buckle in hammered design, with burnished border, and raised block letter. Cowhide Belt, which is lined with gray suede. Boxed, complete at..... $2.50

Special! Sterling Buckle and Belt

Choice of over a dozen styles of sterling silver buckles, in hammered and engine turned designs with belt of black cowhide, packed in gift box. Sizes from 28 to 46.

One Letter Engraved Without Charge on This Special Buckle

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SETS consist of elastic webbed garters and fancy armbands to match, packed in gift boxes; choice of navy, helio, sky, lavender, brown, black, pink, etc. Appropriate gift for men.

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WELL-MADE Shirts of corded madras, percale and reps in neat striped patterns; these are center pleated, made in the neckband style and have soft cuffs. Sizes 14 to 17.

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Hosiery for Everyone At $1.00

WOMEN'S Silk Hose, our guaranteed "Burlington" brand, of medium weight thread silk in black only; semi-fashioned and well-reinforced; packed in gift boxes.

Men's Socks, 3 Pairs, $1.00

Fine quality lisle Hose in black and colors; anti-darn Socks, 3 pairs guaranteed to give 3 months' good service; packed 3 pairs in holiday box.

Children's Hose, 3 Pairs, $1.00

Anti-darn Hose for boys and girls; 3 pairs guaranteed to give 3 months' good wear; packed 3 pairs in a holiday box.

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500 Children's Sweaters $2.69

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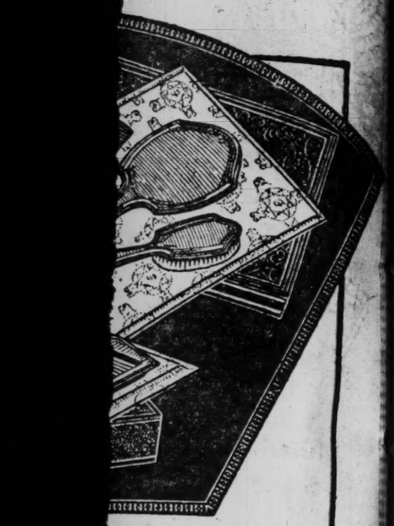

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Sale of Christmas Handkerchiefs

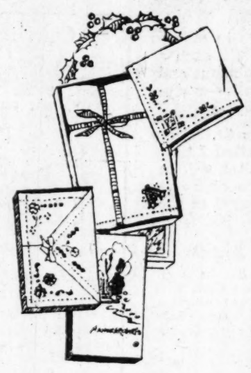
THE one gift about which there is never any hesitation, because it is a gift that is always acceptable—Handkerchiefs. The Downstairs Store offers a great variety and a wide range of prices in Handkerchiefs for men, women and children. Seven groups are specially featured Monday at prices to suit even the most limited purse.

Men's Initial 'Kerchiefs
Box of 6 for $1.50
These are of fine-count linen, full size, with ¼-inch hems. Packed 6 in a gift box.

Women's Linen 'Kerchiefs
Box of 3 for 75c
Excellent quality linen Handkerchiefs, prettily embroidered in colors.

Men's Linen 'Kerchiefs
Box of 3 for 89c
Initial Handkerchiefs, full size, with ¼-inch hems. These are of very good quality linen.

Children's 'Kerchiefs
Box of 5 for 25c
Colored Handkerchiefs, daintily embroidered, that will appeal to little tots.



Men's Linen 'Kerchiefs
At 19c Each
These are of Irish linen, full size with neat ¼-inch hems. The values are exceptional, and as there are only 5000 in the lot, we suggest that you make early selection.

Men's Initial 'Kerchiefs
Box of 6 for $1.00
Fine-count cambric finish, all full size, with ¼-inch hems. These are neatly initialed.

Women's 'Kerchiefs
Box of 3 for 39c
Very good quality Handkerchiefs in white or popular colors, neatly embroidered. 1000 boxes to sell.
(Downstairs Store.)

Gift Suggestions Briefly Told

Neckwear at 59c
Women's Collar and Cuff Sets in pretty novelty colors; each in a box.

Boudoir Caps, 98c
Of silk in high colors; trimmed with lace and ribbon; each in a box.

Beaded Bags, 39c
Women's and misses' imported Beaded Bags in drawstring style; just 600 to sell.

Boys' Gloves, 59c
Of all-leather, Boy Scout style Gauntlets; lined; seconds.

Gift Mittens, 69c
For children, in gray and brown colors; have fur tops and are lined; sizes 4 to 7.

Bead Necklaces, 29c
Of crystal glass beads; come in 48 to 60 inch lengths; 1000 to sell.

Handbags, $1.00
Choice of all-leather, or silk under-arm or pouch Bags.

Stationery at 19c
Linen-finished Stationery; 24 sheets and 24 envelopes; 2000 boxes to sell.

Gift Perfume, 23c
High-grade Perfume and Toilet Water; bottles are neatly boxed.

Candlestick Sets, 89c
Of mahogany finish, including fancy candles.

Stationery at 95c
In large gift boxes containing white and colored linen-finish paper and envelopes.

Gift Clocks, $3.95
Mahogany finish mantel Clocks with guaranteed American movement.

Necklaces at $1.59
Japanese indestructible imitation pearls; double festoons and 60-inch chains.

Costume Slips, $1.50 to $4.95
Costume Slips, of cotton sateens, satinette and silks; shoulder straps of self materials; sizes 36 to 44.

Baby Sets at $1.95
Dress with petticoat to match; good quality nainsook; embroidered yoke and flounce.

Sweater Sets, $3.95
Of brushed wool or fine zephyr; 3 or 4 piece Sets, consisting of sweater, leggings, cap and mittens. Others at *$6.95*.

Silk Overblouses, $4.95
Tailored crepe de chine Blouses in an assortment of colors and styles; sizes 36 to 46; packed in holly boxes.

Girls' Rain Sets, $3.98
Raincoat, hat and school bag, in navy blue or tan; sizes 6 to 16. Others at *$4.98*.

Girls' Dresses, $4.95 and $7.95
Of velveteen, crepes, velour and flannel in light and dark colors; sizes 7 to 14.

Table Runners, $1.25 to $7.98
A large variety of tapestry, velour and fiber Scarfs from which to select.

Stockings at 39c
Children's pineapple-weave and derby-ribbed Hose of mercerized cotton; come in new shades; sizes 5 to 9½.

Men's Ties at 50c
Cut silk Ties, in an assortment of pretty patterns and colorings; each in a gift box.

Men's Gloves, $1.95
Lined kid Gloves in button-wrist style; chocolate and tan colors; all sizes; 500 pairs to sell.

Men's Garter Sets, 79c
Sets consisting of silk-mixed padded garters and armbands in various colors; neatly boxed.

Suspender Sets, 50c
Full-length Suspenders of good quality elastic webbing; various colors; packed in gift box.

Boys' Ties at 35c
Full-length cut silk Ties in pretty patterns and colorings; *3 for $1.00*; 3 Ties in holiday box.

Pajamas at $1.50
Men's fancy Pajamas of good muslin, trimmed with braid and silk frogs; lavender, tan, white and blue. Sizes A, B, C and D.

Sweaters at $5.95
Men's all-wool rope-stitch Sweaters with heavy roll collar, button-front, two pockets; brown, gray, navy and maroon; sizes 36 to 46.

Men's Beacon Robes, $6.95
Well made, of genuine Beacon robing; pretty patterns and colorings; two pockets, shawl collars, braid trimmed; all sizes.

Boys' Shirts, $1.00
Of plain or striped materials, coat style, with collar-attached and soft cuffs; all sizes.

Boys' Blouses, 85c and $1
Plain or striped patterns, have yoke neck, soft cuffs, one pocket; all sizes.

Men's Robes, $6.95
Lounging Robes, with two pockets; variety of colors; all sizes.

Sweaters at $1.95
Women's all-wool Sweaters, in buff or blue with fancy border; sizes 36 to 44.

Velvet Rugs, $1.98
These are serviceable Rugs in wanted patterns; come in size 27x54 inches.

9x12 Rugs, $23.88
Axminster Rugs in beautiful Persian effects; subject to slight mismatching in patterns.

Colored Stripe Bedspreads
At $2.95 Each

RIPPELETTE Spreads with Jacquard woven floral stripes in rose, blue and gold. The 90x100 size has plain hem; the 81x99 size is scalloped and has cut corners.

3 o'Clock Special

Eiderdown Flannelette, 15c Yard
2000 yards printed kimono styles in fleeced cotton Eiderdown Flannelette, 27 inches wide; variety of colors and designs.
(Downstairs Store.)

Leather Handbags
$2.98

THE new flat shapes, with top or back strap. This shipment of 600 has just been received. Wanted colors will be found
(Downstairs Store.)

Umbrellas for Gifts
$3.95

WOMEN'S all-silk taffeta Umbrellas, with beautiful handles, stub ends and fancy tips. Black and wanted colors. Guaranteed rainproof.
(Downstairs Store.)

Paraloid Toiletware
$1.00

CHOICE of 1500 pieces, all in standard patterns that can be matched. The lot specially priced for Monday includes mirrors, brushes, powder boxes, hair receivers, trays, etc. Other pieces priced at *25c, 49c, 69c* and up to *$2.95*.
(Downstairs Store.)

Fringed Panels
$2.94

BEAUTIFUL shadow lace Curtains in several pretty patterns, all made with scalloped bottoms and finished with 3-inch artificial silk fringe. These are 45 inches wide, 2½ yards long.
(Downstairs Store.)

Women's Beacon Robes
$4.98

ATTRACTIVE designs and colorings in every imaginable color are offered in these well made Robes of the finest Beacon cloth, beautifully finished with silk ribbon and silk girdle. Sizes 36 to 46, and extra sizes to 52.
(Downstairs Store.)

Novelty Gauntlets, 95c
FABRIC Gloves of chamois-suede with embroidered backs. The wanted colors are shown, in all sizes. One or more pairs of these will make a very acceptable Christmas gift.
(Downstairs Store.)

Creepers and Rompers
Gifts for Baby
59c

PRACTICAL gifts for infants and little tots will be found in this unusually low-priced group of well-made garments. Creepers are made in several styles, some of solid color chambray and others with checked pants and white waists. Sizes 6 months to 3 years.
Rompers, sizes 2 to 5 years, come in colors popular with the youngsters and are embroidered in kindergarten designs. (Downstairs Store.)

1082 Men's Sport Coats
A Christmas Special at ... **$2.95**

EVERY man who leads an active life will welcome a gift of one of these warm sweater Coats. They are made in the V-neck style and have four pockets. There is a choice of gray, brown and green heather mixtures. Every garment is full cut to insure comfortable wear. Sizes 36 to 44.

Boys' Sweaters at $2.95
Sweater coats for boys are of heavy knit all-wool, made in the button-front style with two pockets. There is a very good range of colors that will appeal to the young boy.
Included are small boys' pullover Sweaters in plain and combination colors. As there are not all sizes in this group, we suggest that you make an early selection.
(Downstairs Store.)

Gift Slippers
At 79c Pair
WOMEN'S ribbon-trimmed Moccassins, made of good grade felt in old rose, American beauty, Nell rose, Copen and brown. Have buckskin soles. Sizes 4 to 8.

At 89c Pair
Women's Boudoir Slippers of black Venetian satin with quilted sock lining of contrasting color. These have padded soles. Sizes 3 to 8.

At 98c Pair
Women's Slippers of heavy gray felt with flexible leather soles and rubber heels. These are the 1-strap style, suitable for general house wear. Sizes 3 to 8.
(Downstairs Store.)

Philippine Handmade Undermuslins
$1.95 and $2.95

FRESH, crisp garments just received from the importers are these beautiful slipover gowns and envelope chemises, embroidered in very pretty design. Some have touches of hand-drawn work. Every woman loves pretty underthings, and these will make delightful gifts. Sizes 36 to 44.

Silk Garments
at $2.95
A specially priced lot of gowns, envelope chemises and bloomers of good quality crepe de chine or silk radium. These come in the new high colors, daintily trimmed with fine laces and ribbons. Sizes 36 to 44.
(Downstairs Store.)

ENGAGEMENTS AND WEDDINGS

Mr. and Mrs. L. Schwartzkopf, 5741 Waterman avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Arlene Miriam, to Leon Fuhrer, son of Marcus Fuhrer. Mr. and Mrs. Schwartzkopf will be at home to their friends, Sunday evening, Dec. 28, from 8 to 11 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Smith, 4641 Page boulevard, announce the bethrothal of their daughter, Miss Jeanette, to Ben E. Cohen. The wedding will take place in the spring.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ellman, 757 Westgate avenue, will be at home Thursday evening, Jan. 1, 1925, from 7 to 11 o'clock, in honor of the engagement of their daughter, Pearl, to Emanuel Fuhrer, son of Mr. Marcus Fuhrer, 5674 Clemens avenue.

The marriage of Miss Ida Arnhold, daughter of Mrs. Mary A Arnhold, and Edwin O. Heckman, son of Mrs. A. Heckman, was solemnized, Tuesday evening, Dec. 16, at 5:30 o'clock, at the home of the bride's brother, Frank E. Arnhold. The Rev. F. W. Wahl, pastor of the Eden Methodist Church, performed the ceremony in the presence of the family and relatives and friends. Miss Arline Norfleet of Jefferson City, Mo., a cousin of the bride, was maid of honor, and Robert Barnaby served as the groomsman. A wedding supper was served at Bevo Mill. The wedding cake was adorned with a basket used by the mother of the bride 46 years ago. Following the supper, a reception was held, after which Mr. and Mrs. Heckman left for Chicago, for their honeymoon. They will return to St. Louis about the middle of January and reside at the Capistrano Apartments, 3285 Gustine avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Alpirn, 4141 West Pine boulevard, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Ida, and William Friedman, son of A. Friedman of Hannibal, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Goldberg, 6669 Kingsbury boulevard, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Esther Goldberg, and Philip A. Leiman, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Leiman of 5078A Enright avenue.

Open-Air Students to Get Gifts.
The open-air schools of the city will be visited Tuesday by representatives of the St. Louis Public School Patrons' Alliance, who will have Christmas gifts for the pupils. Those to be visited are the Porter, Taussig, Night and Day schools and special schools. The affair is conducted annually by the patrons' alliance.

25-Ton Bell for Cologne.
COLOGNE, Dec. 20.—Cologne Cathedral is soon to have the largest bell in the world. It will weigh over 25 tons. The bell has been ready for shipment from a factory at Apolda for a year, but on account of the foreign occupation of the Cologne zone it was deemed impracticable before this to install it.

Rogers'
619 N. Broadway
286 PAIRS
Women's and Misses'
LOW SHOES

ALMOST GIVEN AWAY
Monday Only
$1.00
All Leathers, All Styles — All Sizes, All Widths
Worth $4, $5 and $6
Every Pair Perfect
1172 pairs of women's Felt Slippers; all the new wanted colors; sizes 3 to 8. $2.50 value..... 59c

10 lbs. C. & H. Cane Gran. Sugar.... 62c
With $1.00 Other Goods
Do not spoil your Christmas dinner with a cup of bad Coffee or Tea. You won't if you buy it at Cousins.
Special Blend Compound Coffee; a real good drink; 3 lbs..... $1
Sweet Drinking Coffee: lb 40c
French Blend Coffee; 3 lbs. $1.30
Cousins Best Blend Coffee; lb. 55c
Genuine Guatemala Coffee; lb. 50c
Oranke Peko Tea; lb. 80c
$2.00 Eagle Stamps with 1 pound Dutch Cocoa 25c
New Idaho Honey; 5-lb. can... $1.20
NUTS All fresh 1924 crop holiday Nuts, of all kinds.
Cousins TEA CO.
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Free City Delivery
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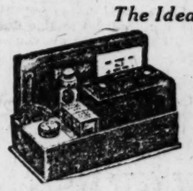
Aloe's
KODAKS
The Ideal Christmas Gift



Brownie Kodak Gift Box
Delights and instructs the youngster the year 'round. Contains: No. 2 Brownie Camera, 2 rolls film, portrait attachment, gold embossed Kodak album, photo paste, instruction book, and a year's subscription to Kodakery. All in a holiday box, for $5.00

$2.50 Camera, $1.98
The new Cartridge Hawk-Eye, an all-metal Camera for the children. Pictures 2¼x3¼. A regular $2.50 Camera; especially priced for Christmas at..... $1.98

Folding Premo
Folding Premo, a camera that when folded will go in your pocket. Takes pictures 2¼x3¼ inches. Regular price $8. Now priced at $6.98

Folding Cartridge Premo
No. 2A takes pictures size 2½x4¼ inches. The same simplicity and accuracy as the No. 2 above, but in a larger size. Accurate automatic shutter. Regular Price $11.00. Now $8.98

No. 1A Eastman Kodak Jr.
An exceptionally good buy. Autographic; rapid rectilinear lens; adjustable focus; ball-bearing shutter with cable release. Pictures are 2½x4¼ inches, 12-exposure capacity. Body covered with real leather. Price..... $15.00

Photo Albums	55c to $10
The New Photochest, for prints	$1.50
Metal Tripod	$3
Developing Outfit	$2
Ingersoll Watches	$1.75 to $8
Eveready Flashlights	98c to $4

CAMERAS UP TO $200.00
513 Olive Street — Aloe's — Grand and Washington

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Make Your Appointments Now for Beauty Parlor Service

STIX, BAER & FULLER

GRAND-LEADER

Store Open Until 6

Last-Minute Shopping Can Be Done Here to Advantage

Special Importation of Italian Majolica Ware

$2.25 to $25.00

A NEWLY arrived shipment of this decorative Ware includes small boxes with lids made of china rosebuds; jars and vases that are ready to mount into lamps; unusual centerpieces for the table in oblong bowl effect with cupids and garlands of roses for decorations. A large selection of unusual vases, bowls and jars.

Candlesticks, $1.95

Silver-finished Candlesticks in Dutch silver designs are fitted complete with artistic decorated candles. Offered as a special feature at this price.

Dinner Gongs, $2.50

A special importation of these Dinner Gongs makes it possible to offer them at this low price. They are made of heavy brass in a disc effect swinging from brass frame. Complete with felt striker.

Encrusted Novelties $6.50 to $35.00

Splendid assortment of this beautiful decorated ware is shown in artistically designed nut bowls, flower bowls, candlesticks, hot-roll trays, and sets of sugar and creamers. A handsome teapot is also shown in encrusted floral design of platinum.

Desk Sets $2.95 to $27.50

A special showing of metal Desk Sets includes imported Sets of brass or bronze finish. Others in leather imitation worked on metal. All Sets are complete with ink well, letter holder, pen tray and blotter.

Mah Jong Coats, $12.95

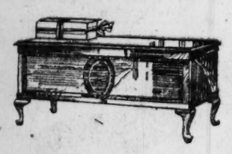
Worth-while gifts are these Chinese hand-embroidered Coats. Gay colors on silk brocade backgrounds of blue, rose, brown and red. Large selection to choose from.

Brass Trimmed China 60c and $1.25

Imported novelty of white china decorated with brass rim and handles. These will not tarnish. A large assortment to choose from in bonbon baskets, puff boxes, celery trays, hot-roll tray and candy dishes.

(Oriental Bazaar—Fifth Floor.)

Large Cedar Chests Queen Anne Design



$54.75

CHESTS in the graceful Queen Anne design are finished in walnut and lined with cedar. They are 48 inches long, well constructed, and equipped with good lock and key.

40-Inch Cedar Chests, $13.20

These 40-inch Cedar Chests are exceptionally good values at this price. Built of Tennessee cedar.

45-Inch Cedar Chests, $22.50

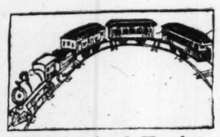
The artistic design and skillful workmanship in this Chest will appeal to the discriminating.

Casement Panels, $2.25 Each

A special group of these popular Curtains which are made with straight or scalloped bottoms, neatly finished with deep fringe. Curtains are 2½ yards long; ecru color. (Sixth Floor.)

Toytown Gifts

The Land of Heart's Desire—That's Toytown!



Mechanical Trains $2.89

These Trains are complete with cast-iron locomotive, three coaches and coal tender. They have twelve sections of track.

Pollyanna Games 79c

This fascinating game is popular with young and old, boys or girls, and is a good quality game-board with complete box of equipment.

Toy Autos, $15.98

Neatly painted Automobiles with disc wheels and rubber tires, are complete with running board, fenders, bumper and spotlight.

Doll Carriages $4.59

These well-made Doll Carriages are cream colored and are made with adjustable hood and rubber-tired wheels. Very attractive.

TRAINS that choo-choo through big holes in mountains—Dolls that dance and talk—and oh, such a lot of cuddly Animals—bears and elephants and things. And Games and Wagons and Balls—everything that's nice for good little girls and boys.

Santa, of course, has made Toytown his St. Louis Headquarters. He is here in his palace called Fairyland, attended by a wee brownie. The children will be thrilled at the surprise package he gives to each one holding a gift ticket which may be purchased at the entrance.

Toy Phonographs 98c

These Phonographs will play seven-inch records and are operated by hand. Easily carried from place to place as the children play.

Hobbyhorses $14.95

Swinging Hobbyhorses, covered with natural skin, have a strong frame and are equipped with saddle and stirrups. Specially priced.

Typewriters, $7.59

Will write capitals or small letters and characters; equipped with rubber roller and revolving ribbons, same as real Typewriter.

Blocks, $1.69

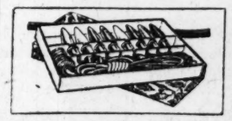
Picture cube Blocks, consisting of 20 large cubs, will form six different pictures when assembled. Brightly colored—interesting and educational.

Wash Sets, $1.69

Sunny Monday Washday Sets, consisting of sad iron, ironing board, wash bench, clothes rack, clothespins, tub and soap; are amusing toys.

Tea Sets, $1.69

Blue-enameled granite Toy Tea Sets, with six cups and saucers are specially priced and make nice gifts for little girls who entertain.



Tree Outfits, $1.59

Christmas Tree light Outfits, consisting of 8 Mazda pear-shape bulbs, frosted in various colors; complete, ready for use.

Doll Houses, $7.49

Any little girl who has a doll or two would appreciate this imported Doll House. It is equipped with a complete set of furniture.

Effanbee Dolls $3.98

A 20-inch Mama Doll has lovely wig, moving eyes, eyelashes, composition arms and legs; dressed with shoes and hose.

Kid Body Dolls $1.98

These 18-inch Kid Body Dolls are jointed at the hip, knee and elbow. They have sewed wig, bisque head and moving eyes, and are a nice size. (Fifth Floor.)

Art Needlework Gifts

—Special Groups Hold Unusual Opportunities for Monday Shoppers

At $2.95

BEAUTIFUL novelties for the boudoir—Handkerchief Boxes, Glove Boxes, Powder Boxes, Picture Frames, Trays for comb and brush—covered in dainty colors, and trimmed with gold lace, cream lace pleating and rosebuds. Also at this price are Sofa Pillows and small size Pin Trays with Normandy lace mats.

At $5.00

An assortment of Leather Novelties of unusual beauty and quality—including Book Covers, Memo Pads, Bridge Boxes, Trays, Calendars, Inkwells, fitted Work Boxes, Cigarette Cases and Boxes. Many of the boxes have petit point motifs mounted on the covers, and each one is an exceptional value.

Tapestry Runners At $2.95

Imported Tapestry Runners in size 16x59 inches, in a variety of attractive colors. A gift that will please the woman who takes pride in her home.

Filet Runners At $6.95

Handmade Antique Filet Runners, in sizes 22x70 and 16x70 inches, are featured at a special price. There are various designs; some with fringed ends. Others priced up to $22.50.

Work Baskets—Special, $4.75

Exceptional values are offered in this special group of Work Baskets, of white or brown wicker, on high stands. Some are trimmed with beads or raffia. Open and drawstring tops, and others are in covered style. (Second Floor.)

A Collection of New Table Stemware

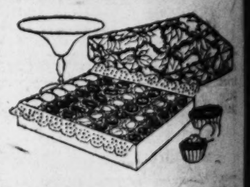
Each 25c

HAND-CUT designs on clear glass make these pieces unusually attractive. A special group includes goblets, fruit salads, sherbets, wine and cocktail glasses. The values presented here wait your inspection. These will make remembrances which will please housewives.

Assorted Glassware, Each $1.89

An assortment of odd gift pieces of good quality Glassware consists of bonbon boxes, handled cake trays, fruit and flower bowls and other dainty pieces. (Fifth Floor.)

Christmas Candies



Various stations have been arranged on the Main Floor for dispensing Candies in one, two, three and five pound boxes. In their attractive holiday boxes, they will carry your greeting in the most delightful way. Candies from Stix, Baer & Fuller are certain to please.

Specially Packed Boxes at $2

Three pounds of delicious Candies in a tempting variety, packed in a decorated holiday box. An assortment to please the most indifferent palate.

At $1.75

A decorated metal box, filled with two pounds of delightful confections. A particularly appropriate choice for mailing.

At $1.00

A holly box, containing one pound of assorted chocolates and caramels—luscious sweets to add to the pleasure of your Christmas.

"Supreme" Candies, 50c Lb.

"Supreme" Chocolates, milk or dark coated, with hard and cream centers. Packed in 1, 2, 3 and 5 pound boxes.

"Supreme" Mixed Candies—chocolates, bonbons, caramels, and homemade candies in 1, 2 and 3 pound boxes.

Superfine Chocolates, 75c Lb.

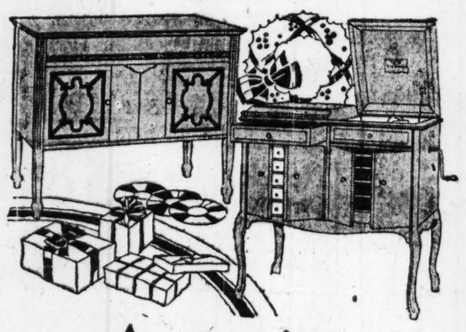
These delicious confections have milk or vanilla chocolate coatings and are especially tempting.

Homemade Taffies and Nut Brittles	25c and 35c lb.
Wrapped Caramels	45c lb.
Milk Chocolate Covered Cherries	40c lb.
California Glace Fruit	$1.25 lb.
French Mixed Candies and Brittle Bits	45c lb.
Candy Canes, various sizes	5c and 10c
Candy Beads, for decorating trees	3 yds., 10c; 8 yds., 25c

Plumbridge Baskets, $2.50 and Up

A delightful gift for a friend is one of these Baskets, filled to overflowing with the most tempting preserves, candies and nuts. In various sizes.

Parcel Post Orders Promptly and Accurately Filled. (Main Floor.)



Stationery for Gifts

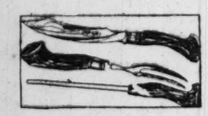
75c Box

MONDAY'S Christmas shopper will find this an unusual opportunity for gift selection. Each hinged cabinet contains both writing paper and gold-edged correspondence cards, with envelopes to match; in white and tints; ribbon-tied.

Correspondence Cards, double-fold style, gold corners	75c
Crane Stationery; 24 sheets, 24 cards, 48 envelopes	$1.98
Diaries, leather and fabricoid bindings	39c to $6.50

(Main Floor.)

HOUSEWARES Suitable for Gifts



Carving Sets

A very low price for this three-piece stag handle Carving Set, made of the new improved stainless steel that will not discolor $4.98

Aluminum Roasters

Oblong shape, made of the well-known Wear-Ever aluminum, fitted with baking rack. Three sizes, priced at $3.98, $4.95, $5.95

Cooky Cutters

The Ginger Bread Man; large size, made of heavy block tin. Cookies taste better to the children in fancy shapes 29c

Serving Trays, $2.49

Large size mahogany finished frame, oblong shape. Glass covered decorated center and fitted with strong side handles. A gift the hostess will appreciate.

Cake Icing Sets, $1.69

Complete outfit for icing cakes or decorating all kinds of pastry. Consists of pastry syringe, with 6 assorted pastry tubes.

Pyrex Casseroles

Round-style Casseroles; nickel-plated frame, with side handles, and pyrex glass baking dish with glass cover, $3.49

Nut Bowls

Round Japanese Nut Bowl, fitted with metal-tipped mallet for cracking nuts. A necessity around the holidays, 59c

Coffee Percolators

Made of the well-known Universal aluminum, 6-cup size, in an attractive shape. A nice gift for mother or wife; $3.49

Sewing Stands

Large size wicker Sewing Stands. Well made. Fitted with hinge cover and handle. Very useful and a good value at ..... $2.98.

(Fifth Floor.)

Attractive Phonographs

Gifts of Lasting Satisfaction

ONE of these Phonographs would be an investment that would pay you big dividends in entertainment—not only during the holidays, but on long Winter evenings when family and friends gather in the living room. One of these will be a gift for the entire family.

Victor Console No. 215	$150.00
Brunswick York Console	$150.00
Sonora Touraine Console	$185.00
Cheney Console, Style No. 119	$165.00

Complete line of Victor models as well as Brunswicks, Sonoras and Cheneys in a wide variety of styles, in the popular finishes.

Convenient Payment Terms Can Be Arranged. (Fourth Floor.)

Seamless Axminster Rugs, $59.50

IN the 9x12 size. Pretty self-toned effects, as well as Persian and Chinese designs. Very fine quality. 8.3x10.6 size, same quality and designs, priced $54.50.

Wilton Velvet Rugs, $51.75

Good quality seamless Wilton Velvet Rugs attractively fringed. Full range of colors. Size 9x12 ft.

Seamless Velvet Rugs, $41.50

Seamless Velvet Rugs in two-toned and chintz designs, 9x12 size, suitable for bedroom or dining room.

Royal Wilton Rugs, $95

Finest quality wool Wilton Rugs in beautiful designs and colors, 9x12 size. Soft and rich looking. (Sixth Floor.)

100-Piece Dinner Service at $49.75

THESE attractive 100-piece sets will make excellent gifts. They have refined coin-gold band-decorated Service of Japanese china; complete for 12 persons. An important value.

Service for eight persons, same quality $29.75

Service for six persons, same quality $15.75

Dinner Service $59.50

Service of high-grade Japanese china, decorated in dainty border effect with coin gold treatment and coin gold handles. 100 pieces to Set.

43-Piece Service $12.95

Imported china in three charming designs, complete for six persons. A very dainty set of china for so modest a price. (Fifth Floor.)

Westminster Chime Clocks at $50

A LIFELONG gift to the home is one of these mahogany Clocks with Westminster chimes softly played on silvered rods. We are showing at this price a large selection of styles, in solid mahogany cases. The eight-day American-made movements are well constructed to give accurate service. (Main Floor.)

Only 3 More Shopping Days

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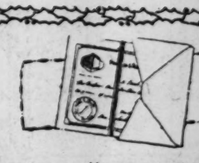

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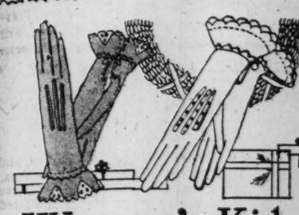

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Kid Gloves At $3.00 Pair

Imported Kid Gloves of excellent quality, in two-clasp length, pique sewn and finished with heavily embroidered backs. Very smart for Christmas gifts.

Novelty Wool Gloves $1.35

Wool Gloves for women and misses—smart for skating or driving. Long-cuff style, the cuffs are plain ribbed or in fancy striped effect. Tan, gray and brown.

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Lingerie

Gowns

—of crepe de chine and radium, beautiful in new tailored and lace-trimmed styles. Special groups at $3.95, $5.95 and $8.95. Other models, including beautiful hand-embroidered garments, $9.95 to $34.95.

Envelope Chemises

—of radium and crepe de chine, in clever new styles, tailored, lace-trimmed, or trimmed with petit-point medallions. Flesh, orchid, peach; $2.95, $3.95, $5.95 to $9.95.

Step-Ins

—and bloomers of crepe de chine and radium, in many styles, effectively trimmed with hemstitching and lace. $2.95 to $5.95.

Handmade Lingerie

—from Belgium and the Philippines, makes an unusual appeal because of their sheer fabrics and lavish use of hand work. There are garments of voile and of nainsook, embroidered, appliqued and piped in contrasting colors, all made by hand. $1.95, $2.95, $3.95 to $7.95. (Second Floor.)

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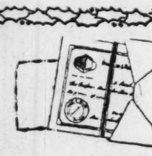
Only 3 More Shopping Days

STIX, BAER & FULLER

GRAND-LEADER

Shop Early in the Day

Many Important Offerings for Monday Christmas Shoppers



Gift Certificates

GIFT Certificates make ideal Christmas remembrances. For the busy man who has a number to remember, Certificates will solve his problem. Through their use the recipient makes his own selections, and the Certificates are redeemable at any time in any department.

Certificates may be purchased at any Exchange Desk, or at Public Service Bureau on Mezzanine Floor.

Gifts of Subtle Beauty Are

Italian Silk Shawls

$45 to $75

MADE of beautiful Italian silk crepe and adorned with heavy fringe, hand-knotted, there is an appeal in these gorgeous Shawls that impels Christmas-giving. A shade for every mood with 'broideries that fascinate.

A wide range of colors and embroidered motifs with hand-knotted fringe, including the lovely Maeramee patterns, priced up to $250.

—for the Younger Girl

—there are the solid colored shawls of lovely plain silk crepe in all the new evening shades. Long, knotted, silk fringe adorns each one. $34.75 and $39.75.

—of Printed "Bengette"

—are some, in patterns of dazzling color. There are black and blue grounds with their portion of silk fringe, hand-knotted, in various depths. Priced $19.75.

Wool Half-Shawls, delightfully embroidered in wool floral patterns on grounds of pink, white, green and black. Hand-knotted fringe, $37.50. (Third Floor.)

Women's Kid Gloves

All Are Notable Values Worthy of Your Inspection—Featured at a Special Price

$3.95 *Pair*

THE belated Christmas shopper will find reason for enthusiastic buying in this offering, for it presents Gloves of imported kid in a superior quality, with the short fancy cuffs so smart this season. The cuffs are in flare and turnback styles; the backs, heavily embroidered. Pique seams. Black, brown, beaver and gray.

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Gloves of imported full-shrunk chamois-suede fabric of an exceptionally good quality, with short fancy cuffs, Kip seams and embroidered backs. Pearl, mode, beaver and gray shades.

Children's Gloves At $1.00 Pair

Capeskin Gloves in one-button length, with a warm fleeced lining throughout. In brown, sizes 1 to 7. A practical gift for a little tot. (Main Floor.)

Gifts That Will Be Pleasing and Serviceable Can Be Selected From Our Large Collection of

Women's Attractive Robes

At $16.50

PRINTED cotton velours, variously fashioned, some smartly tailored, with long roll satin collars and turn-back cuffs are offered in all the required shades. They are delightfully clever and warm. The quality of these Robes is widened in the tailoring which is of the highest character. They come in all the wanted sizes.

At $10.00

A mannish, tailored house Coat bids for favor in a group of printed checked corduroy with tailored collar and patch pockets. Contrasting trims are offered with blue and red. They come in a complete range of sizes for women and misses.

At $14.75

Imported French flannel gives an air of printed gayety to these Robes of comfortable weight, smartly fashioned and offered in colors of gray, blue and tan. All sizes.

At $4.95

Beacon Robes, favorites in good standing, are offered in a new array of clever styling and gayest pattern. Cord ties, patch pockets and smart collars are featured. Regular sizes.

At $6.75

Beacon Robes are grouped in delightful variety in these extra-size models of attractive tailoring. Wide range of color and bright patterns. These are unusual values; sizes 48 to 52. (Second Floor.)

Thrift Avenue

The Buy-Way of St. Louis

Ruby Ring Hose, $1.95
Women's full-fashioned thread silk Hose. The ruby ring will prevent dropstitch. Mercerized lisle tops and double soles; black and the favored colors.

Children's Shoes, $2.19
Sturdy built Shoes. Tan or mahogany, smoked elk and patent leather with kid tops; sizes 6 to 12.

Children's Slippers, 95c
Felt Slippers in moccasin and bootee styles, with nursery design on vamp and collar; blue, brown and American Beauty; sizes infants' 5 to misses' 2.

Mechanical Toys, 79c
A large variety of Mechanical Toys to select from; very specially priced. Included are trains, animals, autos, etc.

Novelty Gloves, $1.15
Imported full-shrunk chamois-suede fabric Gloves with the short fancy cuffs and embroidered backs in all the popular shades.

Overblouses, $1.79
Well tailored of imported English Broadcloth in several smart styles; sizes 34 to 46.

Handkerchiefs, 50c Box
Women's colored woven border Handkerchiefs with attractive embroidered corner; ¼ dozen in gift box.

Knives and Forks, $3.90 Set
Oneida Community par plate Knife and Fork Sets; Tuxedo pattern in French gray finish. Silverplated and guaranteed.

Breakfast Sets, $2.95
Of fine granite weave damask, with woven yellow check design. Tablecloth 63x63 inches and one-half dozen 18-inch napkins.

Cups and Saucers, 6 for $1.00
Fancy decorated border on clear Japanese china. (Thrift Avenue—Main Floor.)

Handkerchiefs, 25c
Men's cambric Handkerchiefs with attractive colored woven border and hemstitched hems. (Escalator Square—Main Floor.)

The Christmas Service Bureau

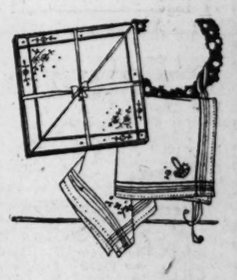
ON the mezzanine floor is a complete Service Bureau which will save you many precious moments. This Bureau will be a decided convenience to Christmas shoppers. This Bureau will:

Send packages,
Supply change,
Pack parcels,
Hold gifts and forward according to instructions,
Wrap small packages together,
Weigh packages,
Sell gift certificates,
Check parcel without charge,
Summons taxicabs,
Send Telegrams,
and perform many other services.

Gift Handkerchiefs

—solve last-minute gift problems when selections are made from our assortments.

Men's Linen 'Kerchiefs 25c and 50c
OUR replete stock of Men's Handkerchiefs of finely woven linen, in full size, make last-minute gift selections a satisfactory matter. They are excellent values.



Women's Linen 'Kerchiefs, 3 for $1.00
A special purchase presents an unusual opportunity to secure Handkerchiefs of linen at this extremely low cost. They are of good quality, with hemstitched hem and embroidered corners. In white, and in the daintiest of colors; embroidered in contrasting shades.

Men's Initial Handkerchiefs, 25c to 75c Each
This assortment of Men's Initialed Irish linen Handkerchiefs is made up from many high priced-groups and offers unusual values.

Men's Cambric Initials, 6 for $1.00
Cambric Handkerchiefs with embroidered letter initial and ¼-inch hemstitched hems, are attractive in gift boxes.

Gift Boxes, 25c, 50c, 75c and $1.00
Several hundred Boxes containing three to six handkerchiefs are offered in sheer quality lawn, batiste or linen, in white or colors. They are prettily embroidered and offer unusual values. (Main Floor.)

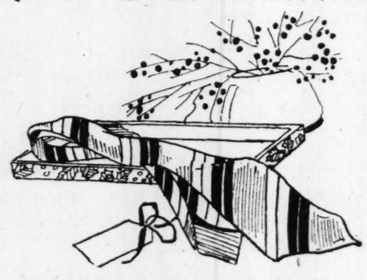
Lingerie

Gowns
—of crepe de chine and radium, beautiful in new tailored and lace-trimmed styles. Special groups at $5.95, $6.95 and $8.95. Other models, including beautiful hand-embroidered garments, $9.95 to $34.95.

Envelope Chemises
—of radium and crepe de chine, in clever new styles, tailored, lace-trimmed, or trimmed with petit-point medallions. Flesh, orchid, peach; $2.95, $3.95, $5.95 to $9.95.

Step-Ins
—and bloomers of crepe de chine and radium, in many styles, effectively trimmed with hemstitching and lace. $2.95 to $5.95.

Handmade Lingerie
—from Belgium and the Philippines, makes an unusual appeal because of their sheer fabrics and lavish use of hand work. There are garments of voile and of nainsook, embroidered, appliqued and piped in contrasting colors, all made by hand. $1.95, $2.95, $3.95 to $7.95. (Second Floor.)



Sale of 10,000 Men's Silk Ties

All Packed in Holiday Boxes—and Featured at One Low Price

$1.00

IN this large collection of Ties are numerous patterns and colors, including bold stripes, neat stripes, floral designs, basket weaves, roller dots and solid colors. Every Tie in neat holiday box. These Ties are fashioned of excellent silks in many colorings.

Flannel Shirts At $5.00
Attractive checked and plaid flannel Shirts in a number of different colors and combinations. All wanted sizes.

Fiber-Striped Shirts, $2.50
Tailored of excellent combed yarn madras with fiber stripes, in the neck-band style, with French cuffs. All sizes.

Men's Blanket Robes, Priced $9.95
Beacon and other Blanket Robes, also some wool-mixed Robes in various colors. Regular and extra-large sizes.

Imported Fabric Gloves, $1.50
Men's Adlerette Imported fabric Gloves in gray and black with embroidered backs. Regular and cadet sizes.

Adler's Mocha Gloves Make Excellent Gifts, $4.50
Men's Mocha Gloves, in gray, with embroidered backs. All sizes in cadet and regular. (Men's Furnishing Dept.—Main Floor.)

Men's Suede Golf Jackets

$13.50

THESE are shown in the popular tan shade, with knitted collar, bottom and sleeve, as illustrated. Made with two patch pockets, and are light in weight. They are cut full to allow plenty of freedom of movement, and are very durable. Sizes from 38 to 46.

A Timely Gift Suggestion Men's Sweaters, $5 to $25

We have a large and complete assortment of men's Sweaters, in many well-known brands, as well as imported kinds. The array of colorings is very broad and includes all which are favored. (Fourth Floor.)

Gift Slippers

A Satisfactory Choice May Be Accomplished From These Groups

Women's Satin Slippers

At $5.00
Cavalier style, in quilted satin, with fur-edged top and covered heels. Old rose, Copenhagen and blue.

At $2.50
Colored quilted Satin Boudoir Slippers with leather sole and heel, silk pompon trimming. Also shown in black kid.

Women's Felt Juliets with leather soles and heels..*$1.29 to $2.50*
Women's soft-sole Felt Moccasins, ribbon trimmed..*85c to $1.95*
Women's Hylo Felt Slippers, with leather soles and heels *$2.50*

Men's Gift Slippers

Of Kid
Exceptionally good quality kid, in opera, Everett and Romeo styles, with turned soles. All sizes, $3 to $5.

Of Felt
Comfy Slippers in Everett and Hylo styles, plain or with checkered collars. Brown, blue and gray. All sizes. $1.50 to $2.25.

Men's Bath Slippers of felt or terry cloth.....*$1.25 to $2.00* (Main Floor.)

Tom Sawyer

Boys' Blouses

85c

TWELVE hundred newly arrived Tom Sawyer Blouses tailored in the collar-attached styles, of neat striped fabrics. The Tom Sawyer label assures the general excellence of these garments. The sizes range from 7 to 16 years. (Fourth Floor and Thrift Avenue—Main Floor.)

English Broadcloth Shirts, $2
Tom Sawyer Shirts tailored of genuine English broadcloth which has a highly lustrous finish. They come in the collar-attached style in white, blue and tan shades. Sizes 12 to 14.

Flannelette Pajamas $1.59
Tailored of splendid cotton flannelette, striped and checked patterns in one and two piece styles. All are trimmed with fancy frogs. Sizes 6 to 16 years. (Boys' Own Store—Fourth Floor.)

The Infants' Department Suggests

Gifts for Little Tots

Dainty Wash Frocks, $1.95 to $5.95

DIMITY, voile and broadcloth are the practical fabrics that fashion these Frocks for the smart miss of 2 to 6. Smocking and stitching in contrasting colors give an attractive finish. In white and pretty bright shades.

Frocks of Velvet and Crepe, $3.95 to $8.95

Hand embroidery and piping appear in contrasting shades on these smart Frocks of velvet and wool crepe. They are practical and attractive for gifts.

Boys' Suits $4.95 to $7.95
Jersey Knit Suits are new and very attractive. Velvet Suits, too, with waists of pongee or satin, are a happy gift choice.

Creepers, 75c to $5.95
Poplin, fashion cloth and English broadcloth, crepe de chine and satin—in Creepers for everyday wear and for occasions of state. Many styles. (Second Floor.)

Jewelry Specials

Diamond Bracelets, Special $85
Beautifully designed Bracelets, in white gold with platinum top, set with one diamond and four sapphires.

Diamond Dinner Rings Special $89.75
These Rings, of large size, are in filigree design, set with sapphires and three diamonds. Gifts of rare charm.

Men's Strap Watches Special $10.95
Extraordinary values in men's sterling silver Strap Watches, in rectangular and tonneau shapes with 16-jewel lever movements, radium numerals and hands.

Wrist Watches, $6.95
Tonneau, cushion and octagonal styles in white gold-filled cases. Have guaranteed jeweled lever movements and fancy dials.

Platinum Diamond Wrist Watch, $119.75
A special purchase and selling of beautiful Wrist Watches with solid platinum cases; one style set with 20 diamonds and 4 sapphires. (Main Floor.)

Store Open Until 6

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$2.95
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Filet Runners At $6.95
Handmade Antique Filet Runners, in sizes 22x70 and 16x70 inches, are featured at a special price. There are various designs; some with fringed ends. Others priced up to $22.50.
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Cherries.....49c lb.
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Baskets, $2.50 and Up
a friend is one of these Baskets, filled
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(Main Floor.)

Nugent's
The Store for ALL the People

Baby Buntings
Practical and dainty gifts, made of white chinchilla, elderdown with hood warmly lined, satin ribbon trimmed.
$2.95
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Glove and Merchandise Orders Solve the Gift Problem—Issued in Any Amo

Canary Birds

"Hartz Mountain" Canary Birds. Just received a new shipment of lovely singing canary birds. All in full song and beautiful yellow plumage.
$5.00
(Third Floor.)

Women's Umbrellas

"Gloria" part silk, satin and Ottoman borders; in navy, green purple and brown. Neat wood and amber handles. Cord and leather strap. Tip and stub.
$3.98
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

$1.25 Quilted Satin Slippers

A fortunate purchase brings this splendid value for the last-minute gift seekers. Colors are rose, Copen, American Beauty and black. Pair,
88c
(Fourth Floor.)

Bead Necklaces

A wonderful assortment of beautiful imported Beads in plain colors and combinations. Long and short lengths. Pleasing gifts.
$1.00
(Main Floor.)

French Handmade Bibs

Made of fine batiste with padded underlay in solid and eyelet embroidery.
85c to $3.95
(Fourth Floor.)

$1.95 Handmade Lingerie

Handmade slipover nightgown and envelope chemise; made of fine nainsook, beautifully embroidered by hand and hand-drawn in dainty colors.
$1.59
(Fourth Floor.)

Stocks of Toys and Dolls

EXTRA SPECIAL!
$8 All-Steel Coaster Wagons
Strong, big, all-steel Coaster Wagons; made to stand hard usage, are full roller-bearing and have large steel double-disc wheels with thick balloon rubber tires.....
$5.55
These Wagons are not set up at this price; each comes in a box.

Special! Children's Well Made Chairs and Rockers; medium size; enameled in red; $1.25 value, very special at
79c

$10.95 Set, Large, Round, Dining-Room Table; of solid oak with two chairs	$8.95
$17.50 Boycycles; large No. 3 tubular frame velocipede, balling wheels, rubber tires	$14.85
5c Tree Ornaments; a large selection at	2½c
$9.50 Ice Skates; Nestor-Johnson's, with shoes; for boys and girls; pair	$7.33
$2.95 Blackboards; on easel, with larger genuine slate writing space	$2.47
$2.45 Blackboards; wall hanging style with large slate writing space	$1.69

Special Prices on Doll Carriages
All made of fine woven fiber in various colors—with adjustable hood to match and rubber-tired wheels.

$4.95 Doll Carriages, special sale price	$3.85
$6.45 Doll Carriages, special sale price	$4.85
$7.95 Doll Carriages, special sale price	$5.85

Beautiful Gift Gloves

$3.95 Novelty Kid Gauntlets
Fine quality French kid in the new short cuff style, with cuff perforated and trimmed with contrasting colors. Full P. K. sewn...
$2.95

Women's Kid Gloves
Trefousse fine quality French Kid in 2-clasp style. Full P. K. sewn, with self and two-tone embroidered backs. Perfect fitting. In several good shades and white.....
$4.00

$1.25 Novelty Gauntlets
Excellent quality imported chamois-suede fabric Gauntlets, with short cuffs in perforated and other styles. In many desirable shades .....
$1.00

$2.00 Double Silk Gauntlets
Perfect goods from the foremost maker of Silk Gloves, fine quality double Milanese silk in strap-wrist Gauntlet style. Several colors and designs .....
$1.00

Gloves for the Children

75c Children's Gloves
Pure wool zephyr Gloves for children with long cuffs, skating style. Come in heather shades with bright bands of color on cuffs.....
59c

$1.50 & $2 Youths' Gloves
Good quality cape leather Gloves for youths or men, with small hands. Come in tan only. Outseam sewn. Sizes 7¼ and 7½ .....
$1.00
Slightly Soiled

Boys' Leather Gauntlets
Good quality brown leather Gauntlets for boys, with the hands warmly lined and with wide cuffs.
$1.25
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Men's Gloves
Black leather Gloves for men, with strap at wrist, warmly lined with mohair. Excellent for motoring.....
$2.50

Tailored Bags

Attractive leather Bags in the season's smartest styles. Underarm, top or back strap of pinseal, calf, vachette, Morocco, in a variety of colors and black. Some are leather lined .....
$4.95

Leather Bags
Large under-arm, swagger or tailored styles, many of the Bags are leather lined, some with swinging coin purse .....
$9.95

$4.50 Leather Bags
The smart under-arm with top strap in tooled leather or alligator grain, nicely lined .....
$3.95

$3.50 Leather Bags
A large assortment of styles to select from in tailored under-arm and swagger styles, many of these are leather lined; vachette, pinseal, goat and tooled.
$2.98
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Imported Brass Bird Cages
Oblong shape, with decorated glass seed guards. Fully equipped.
Small size.....$3.19
Medium size....$4.19
Large size.....$5.19
(Third Floor.)

Men's Silk-Mixed Socks
3000 pairs of men's silk-mixed Socks in clocks, dropstitches, fancy plaids, check, etc. In black, brown, gray or cordovan. Sizes 9½ to 11½.....
59c
3 for $1.75
(Main Floor.)

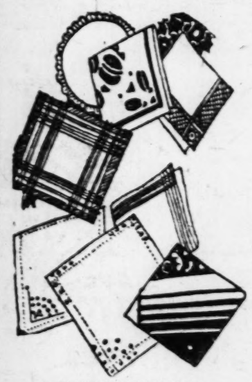
Men's Neckwear

Cut silks, Moire satins, brocades and knits in new stripes, checks, floral effects. All new. Open ends—four-in-hand styles with slip-easy bands. Standard qualities! Wonderful assortment.....
$1.00
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Men's $2.50 Fine Shirts

Men's fine English broadcloth, poplin and other good materials in neckband and collar-attached styles. Full cut, well-tailored Shirts; sizes 14 to 17. But not all sizes in every style; a timely offering, substantially underpriced.....
$1.95
3 for $5.75
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Give 'Kerchiefs for Christmas



$1.50 Boxed Handkerchiefs
Pure linen and fine lawn Handkerchiefs in sport colors or white, daintily embroidered in colors in elaborate patterns. Three to a box.....
$1.00

Boxed 'Kerchiefs
Three pretty Handkerchiefs in an attractive gift box. Nicely embroidered in well selected designs. Solid-colored linens and bastiste—embroidered in contrasting colors.....
89c

Boxed 'Kerchiefs
Three fine-quality linen or sheer batiste Handkerchiefs in the box, embroidered in Europe in a variety of elaborate designs. Come in white or colors.
$1.25

Women's Initials
Pure Irish linen Handkerchiefs with neatly hemstitched hems and embroidered with block or wreath-style letter. Each.....
25c

Men's Initials
Pure Irish linen Handkerchiefs for men, with ¾-inch hemstitched hems and embroidered with a good style letter. Each.....
25c

Men's Initials
Good quality pure Irish linen Handkerchiefs with hemstitched hems and embroidered with block style letter. Each.....
39c

Men's Initials
Splendidly embroidered Initials for men, on a full-size Handkerchief of fine quality pure Irish linen; hemstitched hems.....
50c

Men's Initials
Hand-embroidered Initials for men in block or Japanese style letter on fine quality pure Irish linen Handkerchiefs with hemstitched hems..
75c
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Children's Hankies
Handy little Hankies for the kiddies; seven in a box, embroidered with the day of the week. Each in different color. Box .....
75c

Kiddies' Hankies
Six little colored Hankies to the box; embroidered in one corner with appropriate figures for little boys or little girls. Box .....
$1.00

French Handmade Dresses

Fashioned of fine French nainsook in straight-line models and panel effect, daintily embroidered and scalloped. Sizes 6 months to 2 years .....
$2.50
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Ferneries

Wicker, richly enameled in ivory, gray, or brown. With heavy galvanized flower box insert,
$5.95 to $21.50

Chiffon Hose
Full-fashioned Phoenix Chiffon Hose with lisle tops; well reinforced. Black, gunmetal and shoe shades. 8½ to 10...
$1.65
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Brassieres

Brassieres of beautiful satin and lace, combined with silk elastic sections in waist; back-hook style and satin shoulder straps,
$3.00
(Fourth Floor.)

Hosiery, Useful Gift

$1.85 Service Weight Hose
Women's full-fashioned service-weight Hose. Lisle elastic top—well reinforced. In black, bracken, nude, gray, light wood, tanbark, log cabin and silver. All sizes 8½ to 10.....
$1.49

New Ann Pennington Chiffons
New Ann Pennington Chiffon rosette Hose. Full-fashioned, very sheer quality. In gunmetal, French tan, new tan and nude. Sizes 8½ to 10.....
$2.95

Service Weight Hose
Women's full-fashioned service weight Hose with lisle elastic tops. Well reinforced. In black and colors. Sizes 8½ to 10...
$1.50 $1.65 $1.95

Women's Silk Chiffon Hose
All-silk chiffon full-fashioned Hose. Well reinforced. Come in black and colors. All sizes 8½ to 10.....
$1.59 and $1.95

Women's Silk Chiffon
All-silk Chiffon with narrow lace clox. Full-fashioned; very sheer quality. In black and gunmetal. Sizes 8½ to 10.....
$4.50

Phoenix Sport Hose
New Sport Hose in silk and wool. Large plaid designs, full fashioned. Come in pongee and tan, polo and gray, nude and blue, brown and white, poudre blue and gold, orchid and blue. Sizes 8½ to 10.....
$2.50
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Gifts From the Art

Gold Lace Trimmed Dress
Blue, rose and orchid color, Dresser Sets, made of gold lace with cream lace and garlands flowers, mirror, brush, comb, glove or handkerchief box. Each .....

Imported Paper Lanterns
These Lanterns are very attractive for Christmas or New Year's decorations. Come in all shapes, sizes and colors. Use to .....
25c

Imported Novelties
Novelties of every description to please the tastes of every one; metal and china Incense Burners, Pin Cushions, Candlesticks, china Vases and many other items .....
$1.00

Men's Bathrobes

Men's blanket Bathrobes, shawl collar in beautiful floral designs. Gray, tan and other mixtures. Sizes small, medium and large.....
$7.98

Silk Lounging Robes.....$13.50
Silk Lounging Robes.....$22.50

Men's Blanket Bathrobes
Men's heavy Blanket Bathrobes in plenty of beautiful patterns. Shawl collar, cord trimmd around pockets, cuffs and edges. All have a beautiful border. Sizes small, medium and large.....
$12.50

Men's Blanket Bathrobes
Byron collars, complete with cords and nicely trimmed. Regularly $5.00 value, specially priced at.....
$3.98

Smoking Jackets $5.95
Smoking Jackets $7.95
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

75c Fancy Pillowcases
Scalloped edge with lace trim and pretty lace inserts. Size 42x36 inch. Each pair neatly boxed. Each .....
49c
(Third Floor—Nugents.)

Onyx Rings
Fourteen-karat Onyx Rings, set with a diamond. In many pretty styles.
$10 to $27.50
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

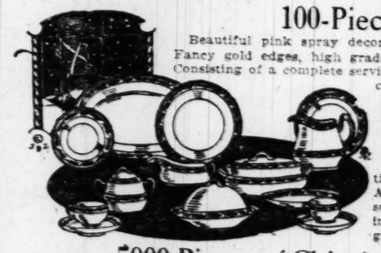
Panty Frocks
Made of twill-back velvet, wool jersey and taffeta, attractively embroidered, appliqued and piped in contrasting colors for little tots of 2 to 6 years,
$5.48 to $11.95
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Calendars
Each Calendar in a box with an appropriate greeting and design. Just the thing to send as a Christmas card.
10c
Main Floor.

Baby Moccasins
Crepe de chine and satin Moccasins; daintily embroidered or trim with rosebuds.
75c

Celluloid and Ribbon Novelties
Hand-painted, celluloid and ribbon Novelties; ribbon and lace trimmed. Priced, 25c to $4.95.
Fourth Floor.

Beautiful Gifts of China



100-Piece Dinner Sets
Beautiful pink spray decoration, Ranson shape. Fancy gold edges, high grade Pope Gosser China. Consisting of a complete service for 12 persons. Acceptable gifts .....
$19.85

Conventional Border Dinner Sets
Highest quality Porcelain, most attractive narrow conventional border pattern. All handles coin-gold, with complete service for 12 persons, including fast stand gravy boats. Set.....
$27.50

5000 Pieces of China and Novelties

Group 1		Group 2		Group 3	
China Cups and Saucers, set of 6	$1	Heat-Proof Casseroles	$2	32-Piece Decorated Dinner Sets	$5
Decorated Tea Pots		China Celery Sets		Glass 2-Piece Bridge Sets, set of 6	
Serving Trays		Cut-Glass Wine Sets		36-Piece Breakfast Sets	
Tokanabe Vases		Pyrex Satin Glass Bulb Bowls		Cut-Glass Vases	
China Biscuit Jars		China Ice Cream Sets		Hand-Painted Vases	
Individual Breakfast Sets		China Cake Sets		Pottery Umbrella Stands	
Jardinieres				Console Bowls and Stands	
Gold Stem Glassware				(Fourth Floor; Annex—Nugents.)	
Cut-Glass Sandwich Trays					

$5.75 "Wear-Ever" Percolators
Made of heavy sheet aluminum; attractive shape; family size.
$4.19
Third Floor.

$6.00 "Mirror" Roasters
Heavy sheet aluminum; vent top; self basting and roasting.
$4.59
Third Floor.

$6.00 Imported Wall "Cuckoo" Clocks
All hand-carved, with white numerals and hands. Excellent timekeepers.
$4.95
Third Floor.

Monday

$1.98 Canton Crepe
40-inch beautiful quality all-wool Canton Crepe. For dresses, blouses. In light and dark shades and black.....
$1.49

$2.98 Black Crepe de Chine
40-inch extra heavy, all silk thread Crepe de Chine. Lustrous finish for the new dresses and blouses. In black only. Slightly imperfect .....
$1.49

500 Boys' Indian Suits
For Monday only while they last. Indian Suit of khaki drill trimmed in contrasting colors; has 14 feather, arrows, etc. Sizes 4 to 14 .....
$1.49

Boys' Sweaters
All wool and a few wool mixed in coat and slip-over styles; some have contrasting stripes, others contrasting collar and cuffs. Sizes 26 to 34 .....
$2.98

More (Main Floor)—Redeemal

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Dolls
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Dolls; made to ... special sale price	$1.88
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Dolls; "Acme"; extra ... to sell for	$4.95
Dolls; "D. ... Expo and moving eyes; made	$6.95
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... now at...	

Light Outfits
... with 8 colored Mazda ... making it possible ... use. Special...
$1.59

Trains
... tender, coach
69c

... Locomotive, tender, ... station
$3.85

Special Prices on D
All made of best quali... ished and varnished.

$16.95 Large Roll-Top ... pigeon hole space and ... to match. Special .....

$22.95 Roll-Top Desk; ... swivel chair to match.

$39.00 Roll-Top Desk; ... side drawers and swivel... Special .....

Special! AUTOMOBILES; a beautiful maroon-finished "Cadillac" toy Auto, fully equipped with windshield, fenders, disc wheels, bumpers, etc. $18.50 value. Very special at...
$11.95

$6.45 Footballs; official, heavy leather; in large size.....

$2.50 Set of China Toy T... 15 good-sized pieces, nicely decorated.....

50c Billy Walker and Bet... Walker Popular Dancing Doll

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Loudoir
... crepe de ... with lace ... slip-on
$10.95

Robes
... wale and ... knit, ... and jac... ... fleece ... beautiful
$24.95

Negligee
... Beacon ... robings; ... styles. Fan... ... pretty ...
$2.95

Slippine
... embroid... ... Nightgowns ... Chemise, ... for your...

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$35 Scatter Rugs ...
... patterns. Average ...

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Child's ... Ladies' ...
Umbrellas are the ... ladies' silks—fruit-of... fancy handles with ... shades. Children's ... dles with cords and ...

Low Shoes
... novelty strap ef... ... pumps. You will ... dress or street ... black, brown ... brown or black ... or tan calf, cham... ... and ... all ...
$1.95
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Towel Sets
... fancy bath towel, a ... wash cloth to match; ... and come in pretty col...
$1.00

Chiffon Hose
... slight irregularities; ... beautiful sheer Hose ... assortment ...
$1.00

Fancy Pillow...
... style—very fine ... dian designs; also ... drawn ...
$1.19

Black Sateen ...
... cotton sateen; hand... ... now at...
$1.95

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... Axminster Rugs ... quality yarn. Beauti... ... springs. A gift for ...
$49.75
$21.75
...—Third Floor—Nugents.)

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—Issued in Any Amount

s and Dolls St

Special! Children's Well ade Chairs and ockers; medium ze; enameled in ed; $1.25 value, ry special at

79c

Skates; Nestor-Johnson's, for boys and ... $7.33

Blackboards; on easel, with line slate write- ... $2.47

Blackboards; wall hanging large slate ... $1.69

Doll Carriages

oven fiber in various e hood to match and

special ... $3.85

special ... $4.85

special ... $5.85

$2.25 "

Electric Xmas bulbs and special to connect several

Light Outfits

with $ colored Mazda making it possible ... $1.59

Trains

tender, coach ... 69c

Trains; locomotive, of track ... $2.73

locomotive, tender, 2 station ... $3.85

Full selection Electric Trains

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More (Main Floor)—Redeemable for Merchandise in Any Department at Any Time

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Dolls; made to ... $1.88

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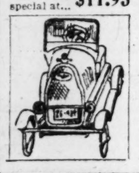
Dolls; "D. & Ex- and moving eyes; made ... $6.95

Dressed Jointed, PRICE ... 1/2

Special!

AUTOMOBILES: a beautiful maroon-finished "Cadillac" toy Auto, fully equipped with windshield, fenders, disc wheels, bumpers, etc. $18.50 value. Very special at... $11.95



Extra Special!

$7.95 Hudson Automobiles

A Richly enameled car, equipped with bumper, horn, motometer, rubber-tired wheels; a special lot of 250; while they last... $4.95

Not Set Up. Each in Box.

$6.45 Footballs; official, of extra heavy leather; in large size... $4.95

$2.50 Set of China Toy Tea Sets; 15 good-sized pieces, nicely decorated... $1.00

59c Billy Walker and Betty Walker Popular Dancing Dolls... 39c

$3.50 Large, All-Leather Basketballs; well and strongly made... $1.93

$4.45 Boys' Velocipedes; sizes 3 to 6 years, with heavy rubber-tired wheels... $2.92

12½c Mazda and Tungsten Electric Xmas Tree Bulbs; at 12 for... $1.00

Special Prices on Desk and Chair Sets

All made of best quality solid oak; highly finished and varnished.

$16.95 Large Roll-Top Desk; with plenty of pigeon hole space and strong chair to match. Special ... $13.77

$22.95 Roll-Top Desk; large size with swivel chair to match. Special... $19.85

$30.00 Roll-Top Desk; extra large size, with 3 side drawers and swivell chair. Special ... $27.85

Walrus Leather Traveling Bags

Fine walrus-finish leather, leather linen; sewed-on leather corners; good lock and catches. An ideal gift. Extra special.

$4.85

Leather Suitcases

Good quality leather, leather corners riveted to Case—with shirt fold; inside and outside straps. Will give excellent service. Special... $6.95

(Fourth Floor, Annex.)

Satin Padded Sewing Baskets

Well-made Sewing Baskets, padded with red or green satin like cut with out fittings.

$3.95 to $5.95

(Fourth Floor.)

Wrist Watches

Small, dainty rectangular Watch in the oval and oblong shape. Engraved bezels. 14-k., 15-jewel movement. An ideal gift for her.

$23.95

(Main Floor.)

Men's and Women's Umbrellas

Gloria silk part-silk umbrella covers, 26 and 28 in. paragon frames; neat bacalite wood and amber handles, with cord and leather strap armswing, tips and stub. Neat opera and T. W. handles for men.

$3.50

(Main Floor.)

Zipper Boots

Keep your feet warm and still look neat.

A stylish, practical Boot, just as illustrated, showing the greatest improvement ever made in overshoes. Patent closing.

$5.50

(Fourth Floor.)

Wicker Waste Baskets

Natural color, black and shaded colors with painted flowers, etc.; very practical gifts.

$1.00 to $1.95

(Fourth Floor.)

Silk Negligees

Negligees of silk crepe de chine and satin, fancy lace trimmed, also Marabow and ostrich feather and chiffon drapes. Come in beautiful pastel and dark shades, also black.

$25 to $39.00 values $16.88

(Fourth Floor.)

Nugents

The Store for ALL the People

Heavy Crepe Satins

40-in. heavy Crepe Satins in the new shades of red, burnt russet, blonde, cocoa, navy blue, brown, black. Yd., 40-inch beautiful printed Crepe de Chines, pussy-willow and indestructible Voiles. For blouses, scarfs and dresses,

Monday $2.98

Silks for Christmas Gifts

Molly'O Satin Canton

39-in. Molly'O Satin Canton Crepe in new light and dark colors, ivory or black. Yard... $4.69

New Radium Silks

1000 yards light and dark Radium Silks, for underwear, slips, linings, or dresses. 36 and 40 in. wide. Yd., $1.49

$2.50 Satin Charmeuse

40-in. Satin Charmeuse in new shades of red, rust, henna, tan; also many light colors or black... $1.98

40-Inch Crepe de Chines

Extra heavy silk Crepe de Chines and flat Thread Crepe in new shades of red, henna, rust, brown, cocoa, tan, maize, pink, foy and black. Yard, $1.98

$6.50 Crepe Satins

40-in. extra heavy Suede Crepe Satins in new shades of fallow, cedar, brown, navy or cocoa blue and black ... $3.95

Changeable Taffetas

Beautiful soft Chiffon Taffetas in light and dark changeable shades for fancy pillows, drapes, linings, etc. Yard, wide... $1.69

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

e Shirts

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.75 Floor—Nugents.)

CHRISTMAS DELIVERIES

We will make our usual prompt delivery of Christmas packages up to the hour. All packages bought after Christmas Eve will be delivered

Merchandise Certificates, And Glove Certificates

Solve the problem of gift giving—the recipient can make his or her own selection at any time—they eliminate the guess work.

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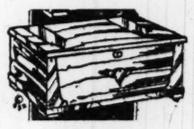
(Main Floor—Nugents.)



Cedar Chests

A Lovely Gift

Well constructed of genuine red cedar. All have lock and key. They have dustproof lid and are mothproof.

40-inch size ... $12.85

45-inch size ... $15.85

48-inch size ... $18.55

(Third Floor—Nugents.)

Tricolette Costume Slips

Made of service-weight tricolette in bodice-top style. Made with deep accordion-pleated flounces, attractively trimmed. Popular colors... $2.98

(Fourth Floor

$5.00 Silk Petticoats

Made of silk jersey and twillsheen. Some have pleated flounces, others have embroidered designs. All the popular colors. A gift that will please... $3.98

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ight Hose

men's Silk Chiffon Hose

k chiffon full-fashioned Hose. Well d. Come in black and colors. All ... $1.59 and $1.95

Phoenix Sport Hose

port Hose in silk and wool. Large signs, full fashioned. Come in polo , polo and gray, nude and blue, nd white, poudre blue and gold, nd blue. Sizes 8½ ... $2.50

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Gifts From the Art Needlework Gift Shop

Beautiful Silk Pillows

A wonderful array of exquisite Silk Pillows of changeable taffeta and solid colors; corded, shirred and flower trimmed.

$2.39 to $5.00

$3.95 Finished Silk Bedlights

Several very attractive styles with silk lining and Georgette shirred top, garland and braid trimmed ... $2.95

Gold Lace Trimmed Dresser Pieces

Blue, rose and orchid color, decorated Dresser Sets, made of gold lace, trimmed with cream lace and garlands of French flowers, mirror, brush, comb, picture frame, glove or handkerchief box. Each ... $2.95

Imported Inlaid Serving Trays

A more appropriate gift is hard to select than one of these exquisite Trays, of lacquer inlaid or polychromed with butterflys of every description set in under glass... $1.59 to $7.95

Imported Paper Lanterns

These Lanterns are very attractive for Christmas or New Year's decorations. Come in all shapes, sizes and colors. 10c to ... 25c

Imported Japanese Wall Pockets

Large size, black and green Wall Vases, very attractive and lovely for artificial or natural flowers. Special, at ... $1.39

Artificial Fruit

Luscious, natural looking Artificial Fruit; a basket or bowl of this Fruit is an added attraction to one's buffet or table; oranges, apples, pears, grapes, etc. Each ... 10c

Imported Novelties

Novelties of every description to please the tastes of every one; metal and china Incense Burners, Pin Cushions, Candlesticks, china Vases and many other items ... $1.00

Velour and Tapestry Scarfs

Combination of velour and tapestry in a good range of colors and sizes, trimmed with gold braid. $1.49 to ... $5.88

Embroidered Pillowcases

Beautiful embroidered Pillowcases, something every one appreciates. Eight very attractive patterns. Pr. $2.19 to ... $5.39

(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

$3.95 Silk Undergarments

Crepe de chine and Caryl crepe slip-over nightgowns with embroidered designs and lace trimming. Envelope chemise and step-ins of crepe de chine—lace trimmed. Pastel colors ... $2.95

(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Elgin Watches

Men's Elgin Watch, 7-jewel movement. White and green gold filled cases—engraved designs. $13.50

(Main Floor.)

Box Stationery

An assortment of gift boxes. All paper or paper and correspondence cards. All white or white and tints ... 59c

(Main Floor.)

Beautiful Furs for Christmas!

Fur Coats and Jacquettes

$55

Your Choice of Various Furs Including—

Northern seal (dyed coney), white French coney, kolinsky brown coney, brown, gunmetal and platinum caracul. Self trimmed or with squirrel, fox or monkey collars and cuffs. Some extra sizes included in this sale.

Genuine Fox Chokers

Come in dark walnut, brown and Hudson blue, also fitch, squirrel or two-skin mink. At this special Xmas price ... $14.95

(Second Floor—Nugents.)

Wrist Watch

Wrist Watch, jewel movement, nickel case, radium dial with leather wrist strap.

$6.50 and $8.00

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Women's Extra-Size Robes

Extra-size Bathrobe—made of excellent Lawrence robing in stripes, checks and floral patterns. Ribbon trimmed... $3.39

(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Ladies' Bathrobes

Made of Beacon and Lawrence cloth, ribbon and cord trimmed; very attractive, $2.95

(Second Floor.)

Electrical Gifts

Electric Irons

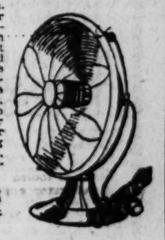
Six-pound highly nickel-plated Iron with 6-foot cord and 2-piece plug. Separate stand. A very serviceable Iron. Holds heat. Heats quickly. Guaranteed ... $3.49

Electric Curling Irons

A well made Curler of durable quality. Will give excellent service. Black handle and cord; removable clamp. Guaranteed ... 99c

Warm Glow Heaters

A 12-in. copper bowl heater with six-foot cord and two-piece plug. Removable element. Just the size for bath or living room. Guaranteed.



$4.98

Electric Toasters

Large size upright Toaster flip-flop design, nichrome element; cord and plug. Makes an excellent present. Guaranteed ... $5.69

(Third Floor—Nugents.)

Rugs $59.50 Axminster Rugs $49.75

9x12-ft. made of quality yarn. Beautiful patterns. A gift for every member of the family...

$35 Scatter Rugs ... $21.75

Oriental Rugs Beautiful shades and patterns. Average size ...

(Third Floor—Nugents.)

$5.95 "Sun-Rain" Umbrellas

All-silk covers in navy, purple, green, brown and black. Neat Ottoman and fancy borders, carved wood, bacalite and amber handles with cord, leather strap armswing, tips and stub-end... $5.00

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Silk Umbrellas

Men's and women's all-silk covers in navy, green, purple, brown and black. Pretty wood, bacalite and amber handles, with cord and leather armswing, tips and stub. The men's have tape edge silk covers. Made with 28-inch, 8-rib frame, with opera and T. W. sterling trimmed handles... $7.50

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Monday mas Specials in Our Bargain Basement

$1.98 Canton Crepe

40-inch beautiful quality silk and wool Canton Crepe. For dresses and blouses. In light and dark shades and black... $1.45

$2.98 Black Crepe de Chine,

40-inch extra heavy, all silk, flat thread Crepe de Chine. Lustrous finish, for the new dresses and blouses. In jet black only. Slightly imperfect ... $1.69

500 Boys' Indian Suits

For Monday only while they last; Indian Suit of khaki drill trimmed in bright contrasting colors; has 14 feather headdress. Sizes 4 to 14 ... $1.49

Boys' Sweaters

All wool and a few wool mixed in coat and slip-over styles; some have chest stripes, others contrasting collar and cuffs. Sizes 26 to 34 ... $2.98

Low Shoes

novelty strap effects. You will dress or street black, brown or black tan calf, cham- and all ... $1.95

—Nugents.)

Towel Sets

fancy bath towel, a wash cloth to match; and come in pretty col- ... $1.00

Chiffon Hose

slight irregularities; beautiful sheer Hose cashmere ... $1.00

Fancy Pillowcases

styles—very fine em- designs; also cut- edge, etc. ... $1.19

Black Sateen Dresses

cotton sateen; hand- at ... $1.95

Basement Sale of Umbrellas

Men's, $1.59

Children's Fruit-of-the-Loom, $1.29

Ladies' Silk, Mixwaves, $2.95

Ladies' Silk, All Firsts, $3.95

Ladies', Fruit-of-the-Loom, $1.88

Umbrellas are the most appropriate gifts. Our selection includes ladies' silks—fruit-of-the-loom—and a few Gloria cloth; all with fancy handles with cord and leather straps; in all the desirable shades. Children's come in red, green and blue, with fancy handles with cords and straps. Men's in black only.

Xmas Specials

Juniors,' Girls' Children's

COATS SUITEES Silk and Wool DRESSES

Practical Xmas Gifts

$3.98

$6.00

Rack after rack crowded with merchandise. Hundreds of Coats—Hundreds of Dresses—Hundreds of Suitees. Priced so low you will be tempted to buy and buy.

Sizes — Coats — Suits — Wool Dresses—3 to 6 and 8 to 14.

Silk Dresses, 8 to 14.

Full lined, fur-trimmed, warm Winter Coats in the most popular styles, materials and colors. Poiret twill and tweed Suits can be worn either as dress or suit—Drosses are crepe de chines, taffetas, crepes, serges and cotton velveteens.

Leather and Beaded Bags

Values up to $2.49. Beautiful drawstring Beaded Bags in the best selling colors—and Leather Bags in smooth and grained leathers. Assorted styles and shapes... $1.00

500 Bath Towel Sets

Beautiful Jacquard weave Bath Towels in pink, blue and yellow, with wash cloth to match; packed in fancy box. Regular $1.19 values ... 85c

$7.50 Wool-Mixed Blankets

Wool mixed Blankets in a wonderful assortment of pretty plaids, extra quality for a full-size double bed; are very heavy and are mohair bound; an ideal Christmas gift... $5.00

75c and 89c Handkerchiefs

Packed 3 in a fancy box; very attractive embroidered patterns in white and fancy colored. While 500 boxes last ... 50c

1000 Fine Blanket Bathrobes

On Sale Monday

Misses' and Women's excellent quality Robes, very attractive patterns and colorings; satin and cord trimmed. 36 to 44 sizes.

$2.88

(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

$2.39 Tricolette Bloomers

Very attractive colors—extra well made—double elastic knee; elastic waist ... $1.69

Gift Underwear

Silk and lisle envelope chemise; beautifully and elaborately trimmed in all new pretty shades; regular sizes... $1.00

$3.95 to $4.95 Crepe de Chine Underthings

Envelope chemise, bloomers and step-ins; tailored and lace trimmed; regular sizes; boxed if desired for gifts ... $2.95

Men's Hose

Silk and fiber, slightly imperfect; sizes 9½ to 11½; gray, French tan, cordovan, black, etc. ... 29c

Pearl Beads

Indestructible artificial Pearl Necklace. In beautiful soft, creamy luster. Diamond set clasp.

$4.95

24-In. Pearl Necklace

24-inch Indestructible artificial Pearl Necklace, with spring ring clasp. In gift box.

$1.95

Pearl Necklace

Imported artificial Pearl Necklace in white and cream colors. With spring ring clasp or fancy silver clasp.

$1.00

Main Floor.

The Big Lamp Sale—Second Floor

Junior Lamps

Beautiful tall polychrome gold and black finish bases—artistic hand-carved effect. Two-pull sockets. Extra fine. Georgette silk shade, hand-tailored in all shades and color combinations. Complete Lamps... $17.95

Junior and Bridge Lamps

BASES—Rich French gold, Italian gold metal leaf polychromes finish Bases—hand-ornamented and finished in new process of gold stippling. Pull-cord sockets. SHADES—Finest quality pleated Georgette silk—exquisitely trimmed, French flowers, galoons, deep fringes, picot edges and silk valances. Every shape. Complete Lamp... $22.48

Bridge Lamps

Rich French gold metal leaf polychrome finish bases with hand-tailored exquisite Georgette silk shades. In most any shape and color combinations. Fancy trimmed and artistic fringe. Complete Lamps... $18.49

Junior Lamps

Polychrome wrought iron bases—richly finished in Italian gold. All piped and weighted. Fine Georgette silk tufted shades of parchment. In attractive shapes and color combinations. Complete Lamps... $32.75

(Second Floor—Nugents.)

Gifts that Will Be Rememberingly Kept for Many Years to Come

Personal Service

As one good friend to another, we are reminding our customers that we are individually prepared to render interested assistance in the selection of gifts—gifts that, because of fine beauty and intrinsic worth, will be hailed with delight.

John F. Bolland — C. Perley Hutchinson
John B. Bolland — Harry M. Kaye
William A. Boehm — Oscar F. Kay
Arthur E. Chedell — Charles H. Lyle
Jackson J. Hagen — Edward J. Noe
John N. Hagen — George Quitmeyer
Clarence D. Henry — Charles A. Waugh

Bolland's Name on the Box Adds Much to the Gift But Nothing to the Cost

Bolland's
LOCUST AT TENTH
Jewelers for 76 Years

806 Olive St. Arcade Bldg. — Herz Candies — 706 Washington Avenue

512 Locust St.

Christmas Special

Three pounds of delicious Candy. Assorted Chocolates with a wide variety of centers; Bonbons with cocoanut, fruit and nut centers, nougats, caramels, French glace fruit, and a host of other favorites. Packed attractively in a big square box and tied with scarlet ribbon. Shipped anywhere in the United States for twenty-five cents extra.

Three-Pound Box, *$2.00*

A PRICE LIST OF CHRISTMAS GOODIES
In ready-packed boxes for instant service

ASSORTED CANDIES — Chocolates, Caramels and Bonbons or all Chocolates, packed in 1 to 5 lb. boxes..... **60c Lb.**

CHRISTMAS CAKES — Anise Drops, Springerle, Peppernuts and other favorites..... **Lb. 60c**

NUT AND FRUIT CHOCOLATES $1.00 LB.

BERNESE MILK CHOCOLATES 80c LB.

DELUXE CANDIES $1.25 LB.

TEA CAKES, 75c LB.

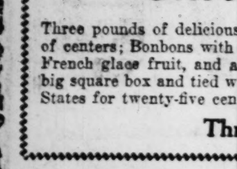
HERZ DE LUXE FRUIT CAKE FOR CHRISTMAS
Rich and tempting, filled with nuts and fruit. An ideal present for the Christmas hostess. Three-pound Cake shipped safely anywhere in the United States for 25 cents extra..... **Lb. 75c**

Christmas Gifts

Wonderful gifts for the discriminating shopper are on display at the Herz Arcade Shop. Gorgeous feast boxes and baskets and novelties (not cake or candy) from master craftsman, here and abroad. Be sure to see them. 806 Olive Street.

We Ship Safely Anywhere

Absolute Destruction of Moths
—Through the Use of Hydro-Cyanic Gas—



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LANGAN & TAYLOR STORAGE AND MOVING CO.
R. U. LEONORI AUCTION AND STORAGE CO.
J. BROWN STORAGE COMPANY
AMERICAN STORAGE AND MOVING CO.

The management of the General Warehousing Company wishes to inform the public that an additional feature of warehousing service is being added to the list of unexcelled "Genwareco" services.

An anti-moth chamber is in process of construction at the Langan & Taylor Branch, Delmar at Euclid, for the purpose of instant and absolute destruction of moths, buffalo bugs, carpet beetles, etc., in furs, fabrics and furniture by means of the use of hydro-cyanic gas.

Other prominent warehouses throughout the United States, such as The Security Storage Company of Washington, D. C., have found the use of hydro-cyanic gas effective in the destruction of the above mentioned pests.

This method of extermination has been thoroughly investigated by Dr. Back of the Bureau of Entomology, U. S. Department of Agriculture, and has proven satisfactory in every respect.

GENERAL WAREHOUSING COMPANY
DELMAR AT EUCLID — SAINT LOUIS
OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS
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ST. LOUIS VISITORS FOR HOLIDAYS

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald M. C. Ormrod are spending the Christmas season with Mr. Ormrod's family in England, where they went on their honeymoon. They will sail for home in January. Mrs. Ormrod was Miss Katherine Pierce, daughter of Mrs. Lawrence B. Pierce of 16 Hortense place.

Miss Mary Virginia Collins, daughter of Mrs. Charles Cummings Collins of Lindell boulevard, will return Dec. 22 from a month's visit with relatives in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Blumer of Boston, Mass., and their two daughters will be the holiday guests of Mrs. Blumer's mother, Mrs. Henry Clarkson Scott, of 31 Westmoreland place. Mrs. Blumer and the children arrived in St. Louis Thursday. Mr. Blumer, who has been in the South, will join them here.

Mrs. Edward W. White of 5603 Cates avenue, is entertaining Mrs. White's sister, Mrs. James Hart, of Cincinnati, and the latter's daughter, Miss Dorothy, for the Christmas season.

Mr. and Mrs. William Maffitt of 4215 Westminster place will have as their guests for the holidays Mr. and Mrs. John T. Geraghty of Minneapolis, Minn., and their two children. Before her marriage Mrs. Geraghty was Miss Marie Walsh. She is a cousin of Mrs. Maffitt. Miss Josephine Bates, a niece of Mrs. Maffitt, has returned home from Georgetown Convent, Washington, D. C. Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Chouteau Walsh, who recently moved to St. Louis from New York, also are guests at the Maffitt home until they find an apartment.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Compton Jr., of 18 Kingsbury place, have Mr. Compton's mother, Mrs. William R. Compton Sr., as their guest for the winter.

MANY ST. LOUISANS RETURN HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS

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of Marseilles, Ill., will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Heffernan in the Congress Apartments, for the Christmas holidays.

Miss Elizabeth Dougherty will return from Fairfield, Ill., Dec. 24, to spend the Chrismas holidays with her mother, Mrs. M. M. Dougherty, 6085 Cabanne avenue.

Mrs. Ben F. Moskowitz and daughters, Betty, Dorothy and Mary, of Springfield, Mo., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Noah Lasky, 1292 Goodfellow avenue.

Miss Rose Shapiro, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Shapiro, 700 Leland avenue, has returned from school in New York for the holidays.

Miss Ruth Fressle, neice of Mrs. Annie E. Hesse of the Fairmont Hotel, departed yesterday for Waterloo, Ia., to spend Christmas with her parents. Miss Fressle is a student of the St. Louis Library School.

The Misses Anna Louise and Frances Fuller will return from Ward-Belmont Friday to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fuller of 5223 Vernon avenue.

John W. Hutchinson of Western Military Academy, Alton, Ill., will arrive Saturday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hutchinson, 4021 Flad avenue.

Harry Mantz, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mantz of Shaw avenue returned from Western Military Academy, Alton, Ill., to spend the holidays with his parents.

The following cadets have returned home from the Missouri Military Academy at Mexico, Mo., for the Christmas vacation: Joe Foster, son of J. J. Foster, 4216 Washington boulevard; Roland Crowell, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Crowell, 6041 Waterman avenue; Arthur Brown, son of Mrs. S. Brown, 4503 McPherson avenue; Arthur von Rump, son of Henry von Rump, 20 Orchard avenue, Webster Groves; Claude Morton, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Morton, 3631 Cleveland avenue; Gilbert McDaniel, son of Lawrence McDaniel, 5926 Waterman avenue; Fred Bieser, son of Mrs. Ella Bieser, 3502 Juniata street; John McLemore, son of R. L. McLemore 4117 Shaw avenue; Adelbert Gebhard, son of C. F. Gebhard, 4348 Moffitt place; Richard Hedenkamp, son of D. Hedenkamp, 4328 Taft avenue; Allen Bradshaw, son of B. E. Bradshaw, 2811 Chippewa street; Carl J. Weber, son of John Weber, 3810 Humphrey street; Jack Riggle, son of F. J. Riggle, 4258 Arsenal street; Joseph Steinbach, son of Ben Steinbach, 1406 Goodfellow avenue; Sol Goldman, son of Max Goldman, 731 Interdrive, University City; Edward Meyer, son of E. J. Meyer, 1308 North Ninth street; Kenneth Parke, son of Mrs. Helen M. Parke of the Hamilton Hotel; Sidney Sosna, son of Morris Sosna of the Gatesworth Hotel, and Henry Joseph SeLucky, son of J. H. SeLucky, 2045 Gever avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Edward Albright and Mr. Albright's sister, Miss Ann Albright, returned home last week from a month's visit in Florida.

James A. Mowrey Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Mowrey of University street, arrived yesterday from Marquette University, Milwaukee, Wis., to spend the holiday season at home. Mr. and Mrs. Mowrey's two daughters, Misses Sarah May and Blanche Jane are home from Arcadia College at Arcadia, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ethelbert P. Lampkin have returned from their summer home at Sedalia, Mo., and have taken an apartment in the Huntington, for the winter.

Miss Rose Lazarus of the Huntington apartments left Dec. 18 for a visit with her former roommate, Miss Nadine Trope of Tulsa, Ok.

Hugh T. Sterling, son of Mrs. Hugh Sterling, 5826 Maple avenue, will return home tomorrow from St. Mary's College, Kansas, to spend the Christmas holidays with his sister, Mrs. Joseph Renard of the Garden Court Apartments.

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Ladies' Dress Boots — *Hand-Turned Soles* — *Widths B, C and D* — *Sizes 3 to 9* — $5.00

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Nothing pleases the little ones more than these beautiful Bootees. All red or blue felt with nursery rhymes on collar.
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First Quality

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Ladies' black, brown or gray felt House Slippers, with bow ornaments; leather soles and rubber heels.
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Extra fine quality of heavy Felt House Slippers with leather soles and rubber heels in Oxford, gray or brown felt.
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Electric Percolator		$3.95	Table Lamps	$8.50
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Black glazed kid, outsize tops, tip toes, steel arch, welt-sewed soles, Cuban rubber heels.
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Ladies' black kid, plain toe, lace Shoes, with felt tops; warm lined throughout. Low rubber heels.

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Men's Christmas Slippers
The Most Appreciated Gift
Comfortable to Wear and Easy to Buy
Two popular styles, Everett and Nullifier, as illustrated, made of kid leather, black or brown, with rubber heels.
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Brown or Black Flexible Soles.. $2.50
Brown or Black Kid Turn Soles..... $3.00

CHRISTMAS MAIL DELAYED BY STORM

Virtually None Being Received From North and West, Little From East.

St. Louisans expecting Christmas presents by mail may have to wait until after Christmas before receiving them because of the general tieup of trains, due to the country-wide sleet storm and cold wave last week, postal authorities here announced yesterday.

Virtually no mail is being received from the North and West, little from the East, and a below-normal delivery from the South. The 650 extra clerks and carriers, hired last week to assist in handling the Christmas mail, will not be put to work until tomorrow or Tuesday, when stormbound trains are expected to begin unloading the annual influx of Christmas packages, Superintendent of Mails Prange said.

Effect of the Delay.

The delay is expected to result in a general burden of overwork for the personnel of the local Postoffice, according to Prange, who said the regular corps of clerks and carriers enjoyed what almost amounted to a holiday Friday and yesterday because there was little besides city mail to be handled.

The recipients of Christmas presents from St. Louis, via parcel post probably will join the senders in waiting until after Christmas for their presents. Tons of outgoing parcel post packages—mostly Christmas presents—are stacked in the subway of Union Station awaiting trains. This outward flow of Christmas cheer will have to wait until the storm's grip on train service relaxes before it speeds on its way.

The Christmas and New Year's day mail schedule here, as announced by Postmaster Alt, is as follows: The main Postoffice and substations will be closed to the public on those days. There will be no deliveries, except of perishable parcel post, and to newspaper offices, and to hotels east of Jefferson avenue served by night carrier. Mail addressed to persons using Sunday boxes will be held out and delivered in their respective boxes as on Sundays. There will be collections in the business district, afternoon and night, and a residential section collection between 6:30 and 10:30 p. m.

Many Santa Claus Letters.

More than 200 letters are awaiting Santa Claus at the Postoffice, Supt. Prange said yesterday. The majority of the notes are addressed to "Mr. Santa Claus" at various points in the far North, and carry postage varying from the regulation 2-cent stamp to health seals and trading stamps.

WILL ATTEND SCIENCE MEETING

St. Louis U. Medical Faculty Members Going to Washington.

Eight members of the faculty of the Medical School of St. Louis University, headed by the regent, the Rev. Alphonse M. Schwitalla, S. J., and Vice Dean Don R. Joseph, will leave this week to attend the annual meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science in Washington. The St. Louis University group will be divided among the various branches of the association, Dr. John Auer being the presiding officer of the Society for Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics. Others who will attend are Dr. Edward A. Doisy, Dr. M. S. Fleisher, Dr. Franke, Dr. Wendell H. Griffith and the Rev. Frank Gerst, S. J.

At the same time Dean Alphonse G. Eberle and Prof. Herbert D. Laube of the St. Louis University Law School will attend the meeting of the Association of American Law Schools in Chicago.

DRY RAIDERS MAKE BIG HAUL

Wine, 2000 Gallons, One Item Taken in Putnam County, Ill.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PEORIA, Ill., Dec. 20.—Two thousand gallons of wine, 1325 bottles of home brew, 10 gallons of white mule, 15 pints of whisky and a quart of gin were confiscated by State's Attorney Harry K. Ward and a squad of 40 deputized citizens who raided the "soft drink" places of Standard & Mark in Putnam County. The loot was taken to Granville, where it was stored in a warehouse and is being guarded closely by heavily armed deputies.

Fifteen men were arrested for violating the Volstead law and all placed under heavy bonds.

STONE TO ARGUE PACKER CASE

Attorney-General Personally to Present Government's Side.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Attorney-General Stone intends to present personally, if possible, the Government's argument against the motion of Armour & Co. and Swift & Co. for annulment of the packers' consent decree, "at least when it reaches the Supreme Court, possibly before."

He so informed the Farmers' National Council today in a letter in which he said that "in view of the way in which this decree was obtained, I am deeply interested in having it upheld."

To Describe Christmas in China.

The Rev. J. H. Moorehead will speak at vesper service at the Y. W. C. A., 1411 Locust street, today at 4:45 p. m. At the social and story hour, Miss A. Lee Chiles, a missionary recently returned from China, will tell of Christmas in the Orient. The program is in charge of the Bible Study Committee.

Christmas Dinner for Homeless Men

The Cosmopolitan Club will serve a Christmas dinner next Thursday to homeless men at Amity Hall, 310 Market street. The meal, which will consist of roast pork, several vegetables and dessert, will be served from noon until late in the evening. Preparations are being made to serve more than 1200 men.

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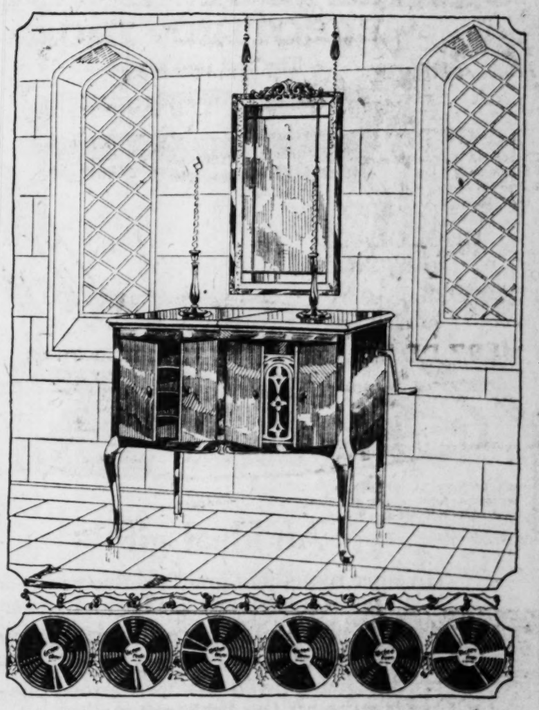

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Fur Jacquettes.....$25.00
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Sealine Coats.....$35.00
Girls' Coats.....$2.95
Boys' 2-Pants Suits.....$4.95
Boys' Overcoats.....$2.95
Men's Leather Vests, used..98c
New Sheep-Lined Coats, sizes to 38.....$6.95
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S. W. Allerton's Widow Dies.

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—Mrs. Agnes C. Allerton, widow of S. W. Allerton, pioneer banker, and one of the originators of the Union Stock yards, who left a fortune of several millions, died here yesterday.

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3648 Washington Bl.
11 A. M.
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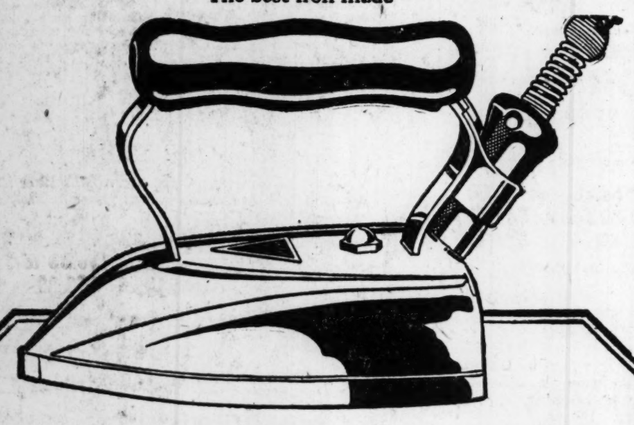

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HADLEY PRAISES LEE'S OFFER TO SERVE FREE

Lawyer Would Charge No Fees as Temporary Administrator of Wainwright Estate.

The announcement of Edwin W. Lee, former Circuit Judge, that he will charge no fees as temporary administrator of the Ellis Wainwright estate, in case the will is upheld, brought a commendatory expression yesterday from Chancellor Hadley of Washington University. The university is the chief beneficiary of the will, its bequest being estimated at $600,000, while the bequest to the Children's Hospital is $50,000.

Chancellor Hadley's statement was:

"I am of course gratified at the statement of Judge Lee that he will ask for no compensation as administrator if the Wainwright will is sustained. This action confirms the good opinion I had of him, which has found expression in my appointment of him when Governor to two important offices.

"I had urged this action upon him, assuring him that as his integrity or ability as administrator had in no way been called into question he should not let his resentment over the way in which this matter had first been presented to him prevent him from showing to the people of St. Louis that he was as generous and public spirited as anybody in his willingness to administer this public trust without charge.

"I want to take advantage of this incident to say again that my comment on the facts of the case was no attack on either Judge Holtcamp or Mr. Lee, but was directed to what I felt was a denial of the right of the beneficiaries in the way in which the law was construed and in the procedure followed. I hope this litigation may now promptly proceed to a determination of the principal issues as to the validity of the effort and desire of Mr. Wainwright to leave his estate to the worthy purpose of education and the support of the Children's Hospital."

PLAGUE AND YELLOW FEVEH OUTBREAKS SHOW INCREASE

Quarantine at Gulf Ports to Be Resumed Against Canary Islands and African Ports.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—An apparently general increase in plague throughout the world was described by Surgeon-General Cummings of the Public Health Service in the hearings by a subcommittee of the House Appropriations Committee in the Treasury Postoffice supply measure.

The appearance of yellow fever in San Salvador, Central America and in British Honduras, he said, will make it necessary to resume the quarantine at gulf points, and he added that "next year is going to be a harder year for plague than it has during the past year."

The plague is prevailing, Surgeon-General said, but apparently is a recrudence of a plague cycle that comes periodically.

Mediterranean ports are already affected with rat plague, he continued, and practically all vessels touching African ports, South America, Tampico and Vera Cruz are considered highly suspicious.

The most dangerous points, he said, are the Canary Islands, the Azores and the north coast of Africa.

NEW OWNERS TAKE CHARGE OF D. & R. G. WESTERN

Missouri Pacific and Western Pacific to Spend $10,000,000 Improving the Road.

By the Associated Press.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 20.—The Denver & Rio Grande Railroad at midnight last night formally passed into the hands of its new owners, the Missouri Pacific and the Western Pacific systems.

J. E. Pyeatt, president of the Texas, New Orleans & Mexico Railway, who also will be president of the Rio Grande, announced that no changes in the operative management were contemplated for the present.

The control of the road passed to the two Western carriers by virtue of reorganization plans approved by the Interstate Commerce Commission and an auction sale held here Oct. 29, at which the road was sold for slightly less than $18,000,000 to the two railroads, the only bidders. Changes approved by the Federal Commission include the expenditure of $10,000,000 in improvements.

MOONSHINERS OPERATE IN ENVOY'S SUMMER HOME

Deputy Sheriffs Find Still in Place of Miles Poindexter Near Spokane.

By the Associated Press.

SPOKANE, Wash., Dec. 20.—Discovery has been made that the summer home of Miles Poindexter, United States Ambassador to Peru and former Senator from Washington, had been used for several weeks as a moonshiners' cabin. Sheriff's deputies found a still being operated there. George Bostwick was arrested at the cabin a few miles north of Spokane.

Actress to Wed Dancing Partner.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Ula Sharon, 18-year-old musical comedy dancer, whose real name is Ula S. Robinson, and who came here from Kansas City to be a Broadway star, is to marry Carl Randall, her dancing partner. In revealing the engagement today, Mrs. J. R. Robinson said her daughter, although on Broadway three years, had never smoked a cigarette or drunk a drop of liquor.

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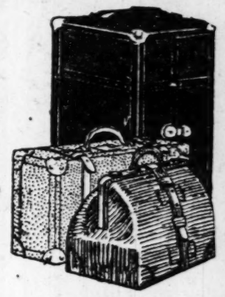

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THREE MEMBERS OF POLICE BOARD READY TO RESIGN

President Brockman and Commissioners Moore and Howard to Comply With Governor's Request Promptly.

YOUNG EXPECTED TO JOIN OTHERS

Action Leaves Gov.-Elect Baker Free to Select Successors by Time Senate Convenes.

Resignations of the four members of the St. Louis Board of Police Commissioners appointed by the Governor, are expected to be in Gov. Hyde's hands within a few days in response to requests for the resignations mailed several days ago. The Governor announced that his action was at the request of Governor-Elect Baker and for the purpose of enabling Baker to immediately name a new board when he takes over the office of Governor, Jan. 12.

The Governor has had the resignation of President Brockman for more than a year without acting on it, but Brockman sent another upon receipt of the letter. Commissioners Moore and Howard have indicated that they have no desire to continue in office and that their resignations will be immediately forwarded. Commissioner Young has not indicated the course he will take, but it is expected he will join the others in resigning.

To Select New Board.

Under this system, which is new in State administration affairs, the incoming Governor can have ready for submission to the Senate as soon as it convenes the names of a new Board of Commissioners. The old commissioners will serve until the Senate acts upon the names submitted.

It is possible that the new members will be chosen by Baker and appointed by Gov. Hyde before he retires from office. This would mean a new Police Board organization to begin serving immediately and would put the Police Department under Baker's control during the time the Senate had the appointments under consideration.

In several cases of vacancies in State departments, Gov. Hyde in the past month has sought Baker's advice and has appointed the men selected by Baker for the positions. By this means the probability of frequent changes in the departments has been avoided.

Election Board Not Included.

Gov.-elect Baker has given no public intimation of who he intends to name on the Police Board. Several weeks ago he said he did not expect to even consider St. Louis appointments until after he became Governor.

The request for the resignations, however, would indicate he had changed his mind regarding the Police Board and that those appointments might be forthcoming at any time.

Gov. Hyde, in confirming reports that the resignations had been asked, denied a further report that resignations of the members of the Board of Election Commissioners had been requested.

DENIES COOLIDGE WAS IGNORED

Shipping Board Official Says Recommendation Was Not Rejected.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Saying he had been "cruelly misrepresented," Vice Chairman Plummer of the Shipping Board today denied before the House Investigating Committee that the board had rejected a resolution to carry out the recommendation of President Coolidge for separation of the board's emergency fleet corporation.

At a board meeting on Dec. 17, he said, a vote was taken against consideration of resolutions in the absence of President Palmer of the fleet corporation. This action, he said, apparently was misinterpreted to mean that the resolution carrying out the President's recommendations had been defeated. Two pending resolutions would carry out substantially the President's recommendations.

BREAKS JAIL FOR THIRD TIME

"Dago Joe" One of Four Who Take to the Cold in Pettis County.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SEDALIA, Mo., Dec. 20.—Earl Youngsworth, more familiarly known as "Dago Joe," escaped Friday night from the Pettis County jail for the third time in a jail delivery. Three others, Joseph Jackson, charged with violation of the liquor law; Frank Armstrong, accused of carrying concealed weapons, and Terry Curd, the latter a negro, made a dash for freedom with Youngsworth.

Youngsworth was being held for jail breaking, following recent apprehension in Illinois. The prisoners sawed the bars on what is known as "Big Four" cell, then battered a hole through the jail roof, through which they crawled and disappeared in the cold. None of the four had clothing suitable to remain out in the open for any length of time.

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By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Questioned in the House today by Representative Garner, Democrat, Texas, Republican Floor Leader Longworth said the $53,000,000 rivers and harbors bill might be reached "about Jan. 15 or thereabouts." He added that appropriation bills still would have right of way.

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Announcement That Contest Idea Is Abandoned Is Blow to Democratic Office Seekers.

EVIDENCE OF FRAUD HAS NOT BEEN FOUND

Chairman of State Committee Feels a Contest Would Not Change Election Result.

By CURTIS A. BETTS.

Dr. Arthur W. Nelson, defeated Democratic candidate for Governor, will not contest the election of Sam A. Baker. The announcement of the decision by Joshua Barbee, chairman of the Democratic State Committee, after a six weeks' search for evidence to justify contest proceedings, has set at rest the fears of Republican job hunters and blasted the hopes of Democratic job hunters.

With the contest question definitely settled, Baker, who has given no indication of being disturbed by the talk of opposition to his inauguration, may proceed without any lurking suspicion that his administration will be stopped even temporarily.

Plans soon will be under way for the inauguration, which will be in the State Capitol in Jefferson City Jan. 12, and will be under the direction of committees of the Senate and House. The oath will be administered by a Justice of the Supreme Court, probably Justice David E. Blair, a Republican.

Reports Not Taken Seriously.

The reports that Nelson would institute a contest have not been taken very seriously except among the job seekers of both parties, one group fearing the jobs they expected to get would be delayed, and the other hoping the jobs they had expected to get would be theirs eventually.

Nelson personally has taken little part in the search for evidence of fraud in the election, going little farther than to consent that the inquiry be made. Democratic party leaders generally have sought to discourage the contest talk, taking the position that a candidate should be "a good sport" and accept defeat similingly. On the other hand, encouragement has emanated from Tom Pendergast, Kansas City factional boss, who was reported to be dissatisfied with the Democratic showing in Kansas City precincts in which his rival boss, Joseph B. Shannon, was credited with control. John Ransom, formerly a Kansas City Police Commissioner, also encouraged a contest, and several days ago the St. Louis Democratic City Committee, after weeks of hesitation, announced it would advise Nelson to seek a recount of ballots.

Pendergast yesterday said in Kansas City that he had expressed dissatisfaction to Barbee in connection with the latter's search for fraud evidence. He said the extent of his statement to Barbee was that "Barbee was being accused in street reports of helping the Republicans to head off a contest."

Evidence of Fraud Lacking.

The position taken by Nelson all along has been that he had been informed that evidence of fraud sufficient to justify a belief that a recount of the ballots would show his election would be produced, and that if there was such evidence he would feel obliged to consent to a contest. On the other hand, he has said that in the absence of evidence which he considered of a conclusive nature, he would not countenance the contest.

Barbee, in a formal statement announcing the decision, said he "had been unable to obtain sufficient evidence to conclude that a fraud was practiced to such an extent that a contest would be justified or that it would make any change in the result of the election."

G. B. SHAW TALKS OF HIS TEETH AND BEARD

Lost Former and Latter Turned Green in Fog, English Savant Declares.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—The vegetarian savant, George Bernard Shaw, has false teeth, it develops. He told a story about them this week while dining out, a thing he seldom does, usually preferring meatless meals at his own board.

While on a holiday in Italy last year, Shaw said, he absent-mindedly left his teeth behind, and only recovered them when a youth rushed up the gangplank of his vessel, waving them in the air and shouting at him.

"What did you do," Shaw was asked.

"Put them in, of course, with great eclat," he replied.

Shaw also referred to his patriarchal beard which, he avers, was turned a bright green by the recent pea soup fog that darkened and dirtied London for 60 hours. In order to restore a clean color to his facial adornment, he told his listeners, he had to scrub it with a cleansing preparation famous for polishing pots and pans.

RUSSIAN PORTS OPEN TO FRANCE

Reciprocal Merchant Marine Agreement Put Into Effect.

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, Dec. 20.—All Russian seaports, beginning today, are open to merchant marine ships flying the French flag, while similar treatment is accorded Russian tonnage in French ports. This decision was reached after an exchange of telegrams between Premier Herriot and M. Tchitcherin, the Russian Foreign Minister.

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Beautiful strands of Indestructible Pearls—long or short, matched or graduated.

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A gorgeous walnut chest lined with genuine Tennessee red cedar. A wonderful value at this price.

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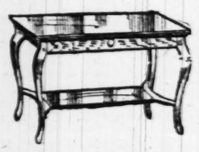

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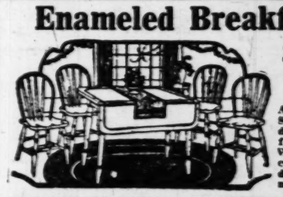

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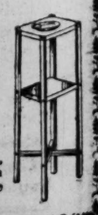

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$2.00 Teaspoons, set of 6.....$1.25
$3.50 Tablespoons, set of 6.....$2.40
$4.00 Salad Forks, set of 6.....$3.25
$7.50 Knives and Forks, 6 of ea., $5.50
$1.00 Cream Ladles, each.....75c
$1.50 Gravy Ladles, each.....$1.15
$2.00 Berry Spoons, each.....$1.35
$1.25 Cold Meat Forks, each.....95c
$4.10 Butter Spreads, set of 6..$2.95
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Including six knives, six forks, six teaspoons, six tablespoons, butter knife and sugar spoon—in a beautiful lined oak chest—specially priced for this week
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Electric Outfits with 8 colored bulbs and special plug connection making it possible to connect several 8-light outfits on one line. Special,
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Extra Bulbs
Assorted colors, each, **10c**

$5 Silver-Plated
Cake Plates
Special at..... **$2.75**

Cake or Sandwich Plates
Heavily silver-plated, with movable handles. Choice of bright or satin finish.
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Sandwich Plates..$4 to $10
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Will receive all local stations. Considered one of the best Crystal Sets made, and very special at..... **$1.50**

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A Practical, Useful Gift
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Sewing Baskets.....$2 to $25
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Scissor Sets, fitted..$3 to $15
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Book Ends.....$2 to $15
Desk Sets.....$3.75 to $20
Casseroles.....$2.95 to $12.50
Electric Curling Iron, complete.....$1.50 to $5.00
Electric Marcel Wavers..$2.50
Electric Cookers, "Universal," cooks, bakes, fries, etc...$35
White Ivory Toilet Sets, in gift case.....$15 to $75
Amber Pyralin Toilet Sets, complete.....$15 to $100
Shell Pyralin Toilet Sets, in gift case.....$15 to $100
Mantel Clocks.....$11 to $50

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Official Rugby
Same as used in college and high school games **$6.50**

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Heavy cowhide pure gum bladder **$2.75**
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"OLD TIMER'S" VIEW OF PARKING PROBLEM

Charles Espenschied Decries Promiscuous Use of Streets by Auto Owners.

Charles Espenschied, who was born in St. Louis 75 years ago and has lived at 3500 Washington boulevard since 1890, when that vicinity was a fashionable residence district, has issued a pamphlet decrying promiscuous use of the streets for automobile parking, pointing to the incessant crowding of the curb in front of his home. He was a member of the old City Council.

He issued the publication anonymously, with the statement that he was not seeking notoriety or publicity, but adding that persons desiring to know his identity could inquire of the printer in person. In a postscript he said: "Used to have an auto (also 'bike') but pleasaure has long ago been out of the question, and street cars, with an occasional taxi, serve my purpose better and safer, crippled as I am."

The Challenging Title.

The red cover of the pamphlet bears the challenging title, "What Can or Will Be Done About It?" with "can" represented by an oil container and "be" by a honey bee. On the back is a likeness of a ruler, typifying the Golden Rule. The screed is headed inside with a big question mark, and reads:

"The writer is not in business, has nothing to sell, has NO automobile. Lives on a prominent corner, having been left stranded by the growth and expansion of the city. My some 60 years' observation convinces me that the great majority of the American people want to be fair.

"The automobile has suddenly injected a new problem and one that seems (unconsciously) to accentuate the selfishness in some of us—in the majority it is just thoughtlessness.

"Take the 'parking' problem. I see well-to-do people drive up in their fine cars and park in front of my place—perfectly oblivious of my rights—and go to the picture show for several hours. There are better and safer places where they could leave their cars on payment of a trifling charge—this has entirely escaped their viewpoint. And these very good people would be shocked if accused of trying to get something for nothing—which, in effect, they are doing.

"Then there is the chap with the cheap car, who feels that the street cars are not good enough for him. He comes to town and stables his tin lizzy at my side gate (to the exclusion of all delivery wagons). This chap goes serenely to his work, trying to earn a living, little realizing that he is abusing a privilege and is depriving me, unfairly, of the use of my property.

"The street belongs to the property owner, the public have an easement only for the use, but not for storage or stabling. In the days of horses, before the auto—no one would dream of hitching his horse in front of a perfect stranger's place, even for a little while.

"Now, just think it over. If everybody who has a car, would realize that the space in front of every store or residence belongs to the occupant, and that the only right you have in stopping there is because of business you have with him, and, that if you desire to store your car that the place to do it is where you can do so on paying for the right. This also applies to professional and business men, who only want to store their car for a little while (say, half a day or longer) while they attend to their office hours.

"Were this generally understood it would solve the parking problem and those out-of-town folks who really come to transact business and from whom we (in the final analysis) get our living—these then could easily find a place to land.

"Think it over. I paid some $2500 in order to have the street (Washington boulevard) widened so as to make traffic more convenient and safer, but not for storage purposes, for which it is being used. I gave the land, made the street, am taxed for cleaning, and pay directly for sprinkling it. No one else contributes one cent toward this expense, not even indirectly in their office rent, and I, therefore, should not, in all fairness, be deprived of the use of my own. (Signed) OLD TIMER."

In the evening machines of persons attending the movies on Grand boulevard crowd the streets around Espenchied's home, and in the daytime others visiting nearby offices of physicians and others park there.

EXTRA FEDERAL GUARDS IN KENTUCKY STRIKE REQUESTED

U. S. Marshal Wires Washington for Aid in Enforcing Injunction Against Coal Miners.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 20.—A request for authority to use extra Federal guards in the Western Kentucky coal mining district to enforce an injunction against striking union miners has been made by telegraph to Attorney-General Stone at Washington, L. E. Barnes, Deputy United States Marshal, said today.

An attempt to dynamite the home of Robert Rolin, superintendent of the Rockport Coal Co., at Centertown, Ky., last night, is believed responsible for the Marshal's action.

A temporary injunction was granted in Federal Court here Thursday against 38 union officials, including local union heads in Muhlenberg County, following charges by the Roger Brothers Coal Co. of Bevier that striking union men threatened and intimidated nonunion workers on company property.

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Any purchase up to $40 on our wonderful Club Plan—10 cents down — special easy terms on higher priced articles.

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Pay 10c this week—20c next week—30c the next and so on up to $1. No payment higher than $1, and then back down again, 90c, 80c, 70c, to your last payment of only—10c.

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In 20-Year Gold-Filled Case
$20
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Wrist Watches, $12.50 to $80

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For the convenience of the public this store will be open today from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

SENTENCE IN FRAUD CASE DELAYED

Judge at Indianapolis Delays Ruling on Motion Made on Behalf of Sacks.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 20.—Arguments on motions for new trials and the failure of two attorneys to reach Indianapolis yesterday in time for court on account of train delay, due to the storm, caused Federal Judge Geiger to defer until Jan. 10 further action on the motions and the sentencing of the 13 convicted defendants in the Hawkins Mortgage Co. mail fraud case.

William Sacks, St. Louis politician and former banker, one of the 13 defendants, was present, but his attorney, Patrick H. Cullen, of St. Louis, arrived seven hours late, after court had adjourned.

The attorney for Harry J. Bovard of Pittsburg, another of the convicted defendants, was delayed at Canton, O., but telephoned Judge Geiger and was told of the resetting of the day for further action in the case.

Briefs without argument on motions for new trials were filed on behalf of most of the defendants, but some of the attorneys offered brief argument in support of their motions. In no instance did Judge Geiger take action, nor did he indicate his state of mind. District Attorney Elliott replied to each argument, demanding retributive justice for each convicted defendant.

The Hawkins company, which had headquarters at Portland, Ind., and which failed early this year with a loss of several million dollars to more than 6000 investors of small means, operated a chain of chattel loan agencies in different states.

It has been shown that the mails in this connection were used in a scheme to defraud, in that false reports of the company's condition were sent through the mails to promote the sale of stock in the organization.

GIRL SCOUTS MAKE TOYS TO FILL EMPTY STOCKINGS

Dolls, Scrapbooks and Puzzles Among Gifts to Be Distributed.

The Girl Scouts have been busy for the last two months making toys for children whose stockings might not be on St. Nicholas' route next Thursday, and now they have completed more than 400 toys of all kinds.

Dolls predominate. There are rag dolls straight from the Fiji Islands, baby dolls that close their eyes when put to bed, mother dolls, flapper dolls—for it is said dolls, too, follow the trend of the age—and in contrast to the flapper dolls, Eskimo dolls from the cold north. Scrapbooks, puzzles and great red stockings are other gifts the Girl Scouts have made.

So it seems that the wards of the Children's Aid Society, the St. Louis County Welfare Association, the Italian Baptist Mission, the Colored Orphans' Home and the children in the city's negro hospital will have something to talk about Christmas day.

WALES DRIVES AUTO TO LET HIS CHAUFFEUR SLEEP

Prince's Busy Social Rounds Doesn't Give His Servants Much Chance to Rest.

Correspondence of the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—The numerous rounds of engagements which the Prince of Wales is called upon to fulfill often demand long hours of duty on the part of his servants and attendants, but the Prince is uniformly considerate of them.

On one occasion the Prince arrived home in the early hours of the morning, after a busy day, and told his chauffeur he would require his car at 7 o'clock, as he wanted to go hunting. Detecting a shadow on the chauffeur's face the Prince inquired the reason for it. The chauffeur replied that he would not have time to clean the car, whereupon the Prince replied, with an encouraging smile:

"Well, bring the car round at 7:30. Don't trouble to clean it. I'll drive and you can hop inside and have a sleep."

Don't Compare Our Used Like New Hart Schaffner & Marx OVERCOATS $8 to $20

With new Overcoats costing $30 or less. Hart Schaffner & Marx Overcoats and Suits are by far the finest made. Come and examine them. 500 on hand. Many like new. Also fine tailor-made, not-called-for new suits at less than half.

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Overcoats, $4 Up.
Boys' 2-Pants, new, $4.85.
Boys' new Overcoats, $3.95.

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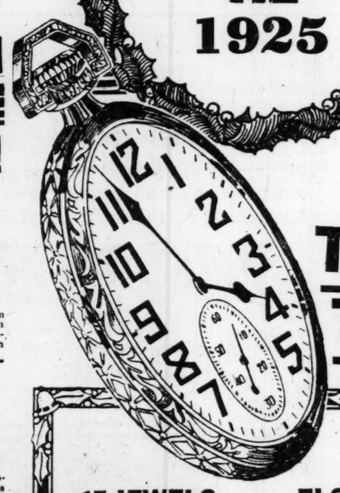

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$15 UP
Give her an onyx set with a genuine diamond. Pay in 1925.

Diamond-Set Wrist Watch
$85
She would appreciate this guaranteed diamond set Wrist Watch. Pay next year.

Genuine Diamond BAR PIN
$98.75
A most beautiful gift. Exquisite platinum top set with brilliant diamond. PAY IN 1925.

TOILET SETS
$10 Up
Makes an ideal gift—complete sets or single pieces. PAY NEXT YEAR.

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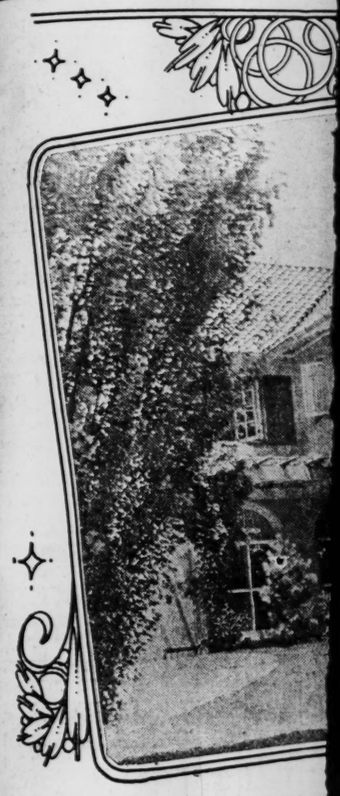

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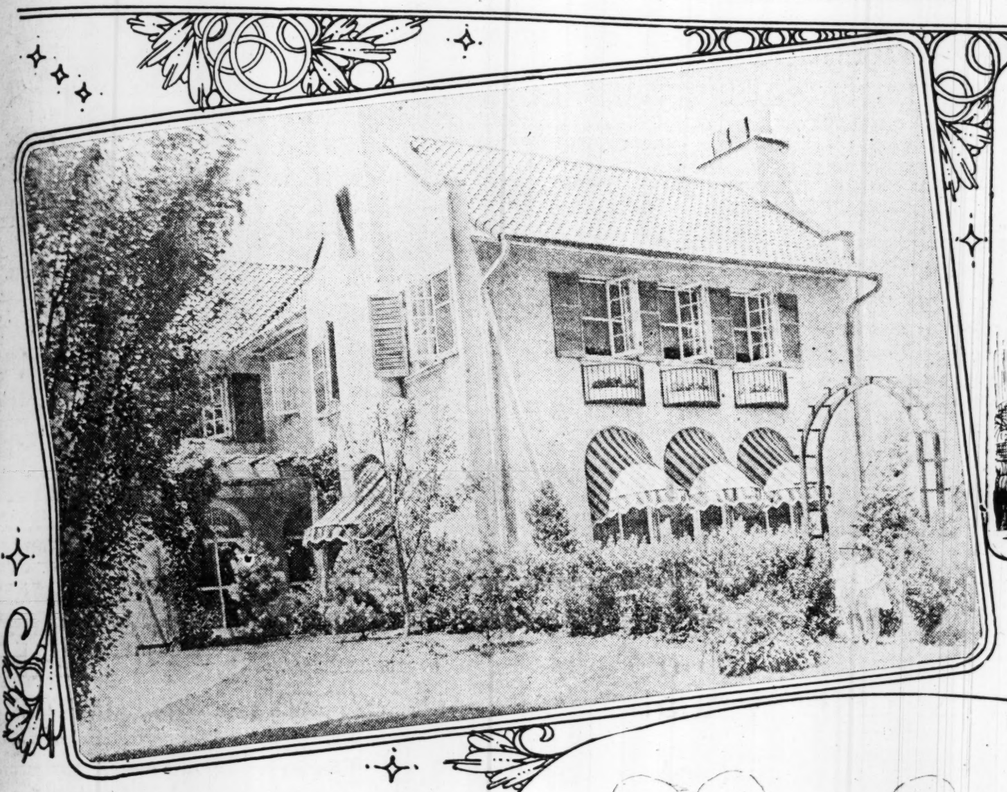

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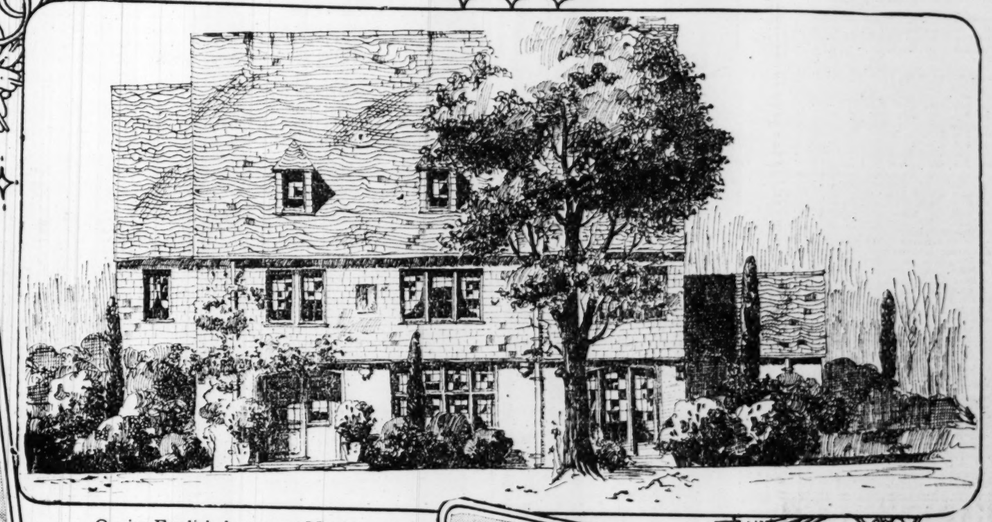

Quaint English house on Maple avenue in Webster Groves, new residence of Mrs. E. S. Hart. Study & Farrar, architects.

Jewel Building at Hodiamont and Minerva avenues, being constructed by the Missouri Realty and Construction Co.

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Big Demand South of Market.

Urgent demand is reported for property south of Market street from Union Station to Jefferson avenue, presumably on the part of speculators, anticipating the Terminal's plans for enlarging its facilities.

The Franciscus Realty Co. recently has placed on record a large number of deeds conveying property in the south half of the blocks fronting on Scott avenue, in this district, to the Terminal Railway Association.

Olive Street Transactions.

The southwest corner of Olive street and Compton avenue has been purchased by John Keegan through the Cornet & Zelbig Trust.

Six stores and six flats occupy the Olive street frontage and three houses and two stores with flats above the Compton avenue frontage. The site has 122 feet on Olive and 171 feet on Compton avenue. The amount involved was not disclosed.

Eastern interests have concluded negotiations through Mullin & Walters for purchase of a large building in the wholesale district west of Twelfth boulevard. Identity of the purchasers and location are withheld. Arrangements have been perfected whereby interests represented by Mullin & Walters are to erect a reinforced concrete building on the north side of Olive street between Twelfth boulevard and Fifteenth street. A long lease of the building has been effected from the architect's plans, but details are withheld.

S. RUBY JEWELRY CO. LEASES SEVENTH AND OLIVE LOCATION

As was forecast in last Sunday's Post-Dispatch, the S. Ruby Jewelry Co., Seventh and Locust streets, has acquired a long lease of a store room at the northwest corner of Seventh and Olive streets, in the Central National Bank Building, a part of the space formerly occupied by the defunct Mother Goose Shop.

The Ruby company was organized in 1882 by the late S. Ruby, and was located for many years at Sixth street and Washington avenue before moving to its present quarters.

Extensive alterations, including new show windows and the installation of new fixtures, will be begun immediately, so as to have the new quarters ready about Feb. 15.

E. R. Ruby is president of the company and Joseph Reisenstein, secretary and treasurer.

The lease was negotiated by Isaac T. Cook & Co., Inc., in conjunction with J. H. Farish & Co., agents for the Central National Bank Building.

MURPHY DOOR BED CO. LEASES FLOOR IN MERRICK BUILDING

The third floor of the Merrick-Aerle-Hutchinson Building at Tenth and Locust streets has been leased to the Murphy Door Bed Co. through Martin & Breitt for a term of 10 years. The Murphy Door Bed Co. was established in St. Louis in 1913 by Hiram C. Martin, with branches in Kansas City and Dallas. It has been located in the Chemical Building.

The new location will give the company additional space to care for various lines of home equipment added in recent years. The lease was negotiated by Martin & Breitt for the account of Heitinger Bros. Dental & Supply Co., which has leased the three upper floors of the building.

PROPERTY AT GRAND AND PALM IS SOLD

Five Stores With Apartments Above Change Hands for About $135,000.

Sam and Ida Gallop have purchased, through Stanley Epstein, a large piece of business property at Grand boulevard and Palm street, for a price said to approximate $135,000.

The site has a frontage of 112 feet on Grand and 150 feet on Palm, occupied by five stores with offices and eight efficiency apartments above. The stores are occupied by various lines including a branch postoffice.

The sale was effected by Meyer Lewis of Stanley Epstein's office, and the property has been placed under his management.

REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE XMAS FROLIC TO BE AT STATLER

The St. Louis Real Estate Exchange will hold its annual stag Christmas frolic in the main ballroom on the sixteenth floor of the Statler Hotel on Tuesday at 12:30 p. m., for members, their salesmen and friends.

A plate luncheon will be served; an orchestra and various forms of entertainment have been engaged. Ten valuable attendance prizes will be awarded and a record breaking list of other gifts will be distributed by a Santa Claus. The arrangements are in charge of Edw. M. Thornhill, chairman of the committee on entertainment.

Design of new Pagemont Building at Page and Hodiamont avenues, under construction for the Missouri Realty and Construction Co. It will comprise apartments and stores.

W. J. ROMER BUYS HOUSE AT 18 PRINCETON AVENUE

W. J. Romer of Kohler & Romer, tailors, has purchased 18 Princeton avenue from F. S. Charlot. The house, which is of Old English architecture, has 11 rooms, including a large living room and sunroom on the first floor, and four bedrooms and two baths on the second floor. The lot has a frontage of 75 feet, with a side drive to a garage in the rear. The purchase was made for a home, through Albert T. Terry & Co.

NEW OFFICE OF DAVIS REALTY FIRM IS NEARING COMPLETION

The new ground floor office of the E. Davis Realty & Mortgage Co., at the northwest corner of Eleventh and Locust streets, is scheduled for completion by Jan. 1. The new quarters is being remodeled at a cost of $25,000 by the lessee, one of the foremost subdivision concerns of the city.

The E. Davis Realty & Mortgage Co. is composed of Everett Davis, president; Earl Watkins, vice president; W. G. Vornrock, secretary and treasurer, has acquired a 10-year lease of the space through the Mercantile Trust Co., agent for Thomas Dunn, the lessor.

NEW STOREROOM LEASED FOR HARMIN'S CLOTHES SHOP

Isaac T. Cook & Co., Inc., in conjunction with J. H. Farish & Co., report having closed a 10-year lease with Harry Polishuk, operating the Harmin's Clothes Shop, on a new storeroom to be built on the Seventh street side of the Central National Bank Building, adjoining the corner leased by the S. Ruby Jewelry Co.

The clothing company now conducts a store at 407 North Seventh street.

RECORD BUILDING YEAR IN MISSOURI

This year is Missouri's biggest building year since the war, according to the F. W. Dodge Corporation. Construction begun in the first 11 months of 1924 has amounted to $120,353,100. This is a little more than last year's total (which was the record year to date), and is 10 per cent ahead of the first 11 months of last year.

November building contracts in Missouri amounted to $5,928,800. This was only a third of the unusually high October total, and was 38 per cent under the amount for November, 1923. Last month's record included: $4,083,700, or 69 per cent of all construction, for residential buildings; $599,000 or 10 per cent for educational buildings, and $580,500 or 10 per cent for commercial buildings.

STORES AT CASS AND TWENTY-SECOND SOLD

Frank Denba Buys Several Buildings at Southeast Corner for Speculation.

A sale noteworthy as reflecting an awakening in this district was that effected by the Hemmelman-Spackler Real Estate Co., of a large block of stores and flats at the southeast corner of Twenty-second street and Cass avenue, to Frank Denba, a client of J. H. Farish & Co. The purchase, involving $60,000, was made both as an investment and speculation, according to L. E. Schwab, vice president of the Hemmelman & Spackler concern. Condis P. Bello was the grantor in the sale.

The buildings, known as 1444-46-48-50-52 North Twenty-second street and 2112-18 Cass avenue, occupy a lot having a frontage of 127 feet on Cass and 130 feet on Twenty-second street. The property consists of four stores and 21 flats.

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APARTMENTS

Post-Dispatch Want Ad Phone, Olive 6600. Solid agate, 30c line, daily or Sun. Display, 35c daily, 45c Sun. Out-of-town, agate, 35c daily, 40c Sun.; display, 45c daily, 50c Sun. Discounts, per line: Agate—3 times, 1c; 7 times, 2c; 30 times, daily 3c, Sun. 2c. Display, 3 times, 1c; 7 times, daily 2c, Sun. 3c; 30 times, daily 3c, Sun. 3c. Minimum 2 lines.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT

APARTMENT—3 rooms and bath; heat and light furnished. Call Parkview 1020. (c7)

Central

New Downtown Apartments
WARREN APTS.—1117 PINE ST.
SAVE TIME AND CARFARE.
FOR HIGH-CLASS TENANTS ONLY.
10 RENTED. 2 LEFT.
Choice 4-room efficiency, 2 concealed beds, stove, electric fixtures, icebox; gas and electricity included. $80; also 1 furnished apartment; reasonable rent. OREON E. & R. G. SCOTT, 800 Chestnut.

Northwest

ASHLAND, 4739—New apartment, four rooms, hardwood floors, tile bath, steam heat. P. A. KIRK & CO., 4331 Warne.

EUCLID, 1744 N.—New rooms, well decorated; hardwood floors, steam heat, open. DOUGHERTY, Central 330-331.

NORTHLAND, 5383—Furnished 3-room efficiency, Apt. B 505. WALTER JONES R. E. CO., 618 Chestnut st.

ST. LOUIS, 4739—1 room, bath, sunroom; newly decorated; janitor service; heat furnished electricity. JOHN C. GREULICH REALTY CO., Grand and Hebert.

WOODLAND, 5963—6 large rooms; in good condition; rent reasonable. $19. SIEVERS-KLEIN REALTY CO., 104 N. 8th. Olive 34. Olive 9494.

South

APARTMENT—4 rooms and bath, heat, janitor service; Grand and Utah. Call Victor 3093J. rent reasonable.

CASTLEMAN, 3041—4 rooms and bath; newly large rooms and real kitchen; $55. Call Mr. Miller at Main 60.

BLOCK REALTY CO., 813 Chestnut. (c83)

CLELAND, 4048—Beautiful 6 rooms; free rent to Jan. 1; concessions.

CLEVELAND, 4048—7 rooms and bath; rent reasonable. M. H. RODEMEYER & CO., 601 Title Guar. Bldg. 702 Chestnut.

FLAD, 3916—4 large rooms and bath; hardwood floors, running hot water, steam heat, janitor service; adults. $65.

GRAND AND CASTLEMAN
3608 Castleman—APARTMENT ONLY: first floor, H-l, 4 rooms, dressing room; two Murphy beds, open; rent right to responsible party.
EUGENE J. ALTHEIMER, 817 Chestnut.

GRAVOIS, 3633A—Dandy corner apartment of 3 rooms and dressing room; hardwood floors, tile bath, heat and janitor service; $60 monthly.
JACK DUBINSKY, Olive 9073.

LAFAYETTE, 3612—Four rooms and reception room; Hazeltine Apartments, (2) 3679 LAFAYETTE.

Modern first-floor apartment of 4 rooms and inclosed sun parlor; open for rent. DYAS-SHELP, Olive 6177. (c80)

3611 LAFAYETTE.
Five rooms and porch; open.
EDWARD L. BAKEWELL,
Olive 5555. 118 N. 7th.

SHAW, 4238—3 rooms; steam heat and janitor service; rent $75.
HUGH H. STEWART, Agt.,
1002 Chestnut st.

SPRING, 1641 S.—3 rooms, heat, janitor service; vacant.
WEISS-MEYERBICKS R. E. CO. Olive 1962.

WINNEBAGO 4037—3-room, 4-room efficiency apts. $40. ENTERING AGENCY, 3927 Gravois av. Open Monday evenings.

WYOMING, 3542—3 rooms, sun parlor; heat, janitor service; one month's rent to responsible party.

West

ADELAIDE, 517 (3d floor)—4 rooms; sun parlor. Murphy bed. Cabany 4519R.

EUGENE J. ALTHEIMER, 817 Chestnut.

AMHERST, 1230—Beautiful 5-room apartment; in good condition; rent reasonable. $19. SIEVERS-KLEIN REALTY CO., 104 N. 8th. Olive 34.

APARTMENT—Westminster, near Sarah; 9 rooms; $87.50. Box F-38, P.-D.

APARTMENTS—And flats; desirable location; furnished or not. BROWN REALTY CO. for occupancy. (c62)
Benton 486.

BELT, 950—5 rooms and bath; heat, hot water and janitor service; all for $75.
M. H. RODEMEYER & CO.,
601 Title Guar. Bldg. 702 Chestnut.

BLACKSTONE, 1148—4 rooms and bath; heat, hot water, janitor service.
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601 Title Guar. Bldg. 702 Chestnut.

320 N. BOYLE
DORIS APARTMENTS.
Third floor north; 6 rooms, modern; possession Jan. 1.
GIBSON BROS. R. E. CO., 813 Chestnut.

BUCKINGHAM COURT, 4934—New 6-room and sun room, Murphy bed, opposite Forest Park; open; concession. Phone Riverside 637W. (c99)

CABANNE, 6242—4 large rooms and sun parlor; modern; $63.
GUCK R. E. CO., 922 Chestnut st.

CABANNE, 5636—1st floor east, 9 rooms, 3 southern bedrooms; concession. JONES BROS. 1021 Arcade. (c80)

CABANNE, 5970—7 rooms, and 5381 Cabanne; 6 rooms, hardwood floors, heat and service; will decorate; very low rent for these. Delmar 5348M.

CABANNE, 5531—5 choice rooms, excellent location; heat and janitor service; rent in concession for immediate tenant.
OREON E. & R. G. SCOTT, 800 Chestnut.

ONE LEFT
3703 CABANNE
Four rooms, with 5-room efficiency; hardwood floors, tile bath, gas range; will decorate to suit; $77.50; 2d floor.
ANDERSON-STOCKE-BUERMANN,
808 Chestnut st.

CATES, 6284—Five rooms, steam heated; $65. Apply 925 N. Academy.

CATES, 5223—5 rooms, bath; heat, hot water and janitor service; $65.
OREON E. & R. G. SCOTT, 800 Chestnut.

CATES, 5204A—6 rooms, bath; heat, hot water and janitor service; $75.
OREON E. & R. G. SCOTT, 800 Chestnut.

CATES, 6317—Apt., subleased; lease expires in Aug.; 2d floor; 5 rooms, sun parlor and bath. (c)

CATES, 6300 (between Eastgate and Westgate)—Delightful light 5-room efficiency apartment; open.

CATES, 6239—5 rooms and sunroom; reasonable rental.
WALTER JONES R. E. CO., 618 Chestnut.

CATES, 5500—5 and 6 rooms, with bath; heat and hot water furnished; will put in first-class condition.
M. H. RODEMEYER & CO.,
601 Title Guar. Bldg. 702 Chestnut.

5 ROOMS—BARGAIN RENTED
6244 Cates av., 2d floor; 5 rooms, including sleeping porch; heat, hot water and janitor service; rent only $65, and will stay liberal. Call for information and see third floor front 2403M.

CLARA, 535—Six-room apartment, 3d fl. Washington Hall, 535 Clara. 2d floor. (c)

CLARA, 814—5-room apartment, Jan 1; desirable location; handy to stores, movies, street cars, buses; many conveniences for rent. Forest 7803. (c)

CLARA, 829—4 rooms and bath; heat, hot water and janitor service.
M. H. RODEMEYER & CO.,
601 Title Guaranty Bldg. 702 Chestnut.

CLARENDON, 1012 (Cabanne-Cabanne)—Completely furnished, four-room apartment (not efficiency); light, heat, hot-water service; lease if desired; open today.
GRACE, 100 N. 8th st.

CLAYTON RD., 6958—Hi-Pointe; 4 rooms, bath. Murphy bed. (c99)

KENDRICK APTS. (6932 Clayton rd.)—Desirable 3-room efficiency modern; heat, janitor service. Cabany 6566. (c)

CLAYTON RD., 6932—Kendrick apartment; 3-room efficiency; modern, heat and janitor service. Cabany 6566. (c)

CLAYTON, 6936 (Hi-Pointe—La Salle Apartments; 3 nice rooms, 3-room efficiency; only one vacant; perfect condition; low rent and concession now open.
KOLLA-LUPPERT REALTY CO.

CLAYTON 6968—3 beautiful rooms; will decorate to suit; reasonable rent; open.
Olive 6177.

CLEMENS, 6623 — Up-to-date 7-room apartment, including reception hall, sun room, sleeping porch, Murphy bed; garage. Inquire floor. (c8)

CLEMENS, 6301—7 rooms, 3d floor; $120.
WAGNER-GRANT-BELL REALTY CO., Realtors.
722 Chestnut st. Olive 8021.

COOK, 3667 — Second floor, six rooms, bath; inviting gas, electric light, fine yard and garage; $60.
OREON E. & R. G. SCOTT, 800 Chestnut.

DELMAR BL., 5136A—4 large rooms, tile bath and lavatory; open; key first floor.
KORTE REALTY & LOAN CO.,
Olive 1437. 100 N. 8th st.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT
West

DELMAR BL., 4626—7 rooms very light; heat, hot water; Forest 3505W. (c)

DELMAR BL., 4419—1, 2 or 3 room apartment; steam heat, phone, laundry; reasonable. Delmar 5365M.

DELMAR BL., 4635A—8 rooms, bath, toilet, heat, janitor service.
MERCANTILE-WALTERS REALTY CO.,
824 Chestnut st. Olive 4237.

DELMAR BL., 5305—Consisting of 7 rooms and 2 baths in A1 condition; rent $160 per month.
SINGER-KLEIN REALTY CO., 104 N. 8th. Olive 34. Olive 9494.

APARTMENT FOR RENT.
5116 DELMAR BL.
5 rooms, tile bath, hardwood floors, shades, Quick Meal gas range, heat, janitor service; reference required. Janitor will show you through; both apartments rented and put in first-class condition; rent $75 per month. Call HOUSAM REALTY CO., International Life Bldg. Olive 270.

EASTGATE, 900—First floor, 5 rooms and kitchenette; Murphy bed in sun parlor; janitor service; rent $70; concession; owner second floor north. (c99)

626 EASTGATE AV.
Beautiful 6-room apartment with sun room and sleeping porch, French doors throughout; apartment between living room and dining room. Murphy door bed in sun room, arch between kitchen and breakfast room; very handsome and up-to-date. See this apartment and then see
M. H. RODEMEYER & CO.,
601 Title Guar. Bldg., 702 Chestnut.

ENRIGHT, 6909—5 rooms and open porch; first floor, sleeping porch; $60.
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722 Chestnut st. Olive 8021.

ETZEL, 6140—New apartment, 4 rooms, breakfast room, hardwood floors, tile bath, will furnish steam heat; adults only; $85. Jan. 1.

FOREST PARK BL., 4307—First-class in every way. Call immediately.
FOREST PARK BL., 4348—Block from park; near hospital group; car lines; newly decorated; 8 rooms, janitor, rent reasonable. Call Parkview 1020. (c67)

FOREST PARK BL., 4411 ("San Carlos Apartment")—2d floor, 4 large rooms, bath, eastern, western and southern exposure; newly decorated; all modern; $70; also 4-room apartment, 4410, $60.
OREON E. & R. G. SCOTT, 800 Chestnut.

FORSYTHE BL., 7008-12—5 rooms, 6-room efficiency; two concealed beds. Washington University district; rent reasonable; few feet west of Skinker.
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FORSYTHE BL., 7008-12—3 rooms, 3-room efficiency; two concealed beds. Washington University district; rent reasonable; few feet west of Skinker.
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Four rooms and bath, with Murphy in-a-door. Open for inspection $65.
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1360 Hamilton—4 rooms, first floor; bath; heat; rent $62.50. Open.
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KENSINGTON, 4569A — rooms, bath, janitor service; heat furnished; rent $60.
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KINGSBURY BL., 5727—Efficiency; 4 room apartment now ready. (c)

KINGSBURY, 6569 (2d floor)—Sun parlor, 4 rooms, Murphy bed; $45. Cabany 4519R.

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KINGSBURY BL., 6005A—Six rooms, bath. DeMARTINI-ZERBIA AGENCY CO., 221 Title Guar. Bldg. 706 Chestnut.

KINGSBURY, 7915—New apts. 5 rooms, bath, elevator; new rent; one car fare, bus. Benton 233W. (c99)

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KINGSBURY BL., 5943—4 rooms and sun parlor, heat and hot water; 3d fl. east.
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Desirable suites in this beautiful building; large sunny rooms, hardwood floors and sun parlor with built-in bed; screened porch; rental reasonable.
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Choice 6-room apartments, each two baths, electric elevator, sleeping porches, hardwood floors, tiled baths, newly decorated and painted throughout.
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This elegant apartment, 10 rooms, five baths, with garage in basement; electric elevators, tile floors, hardwood floors, tile floors; chauffeur's quarters, electric laundry; $275 per month; open; will decorate to suit.
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Facing Forest Park; 916 S. Kingshighway Bl.; contain hardwood floors, tile baths, 2 Murphy beds; every convenience, open.
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VANDEVENTER, 2516 N.—4 rooms, bath, electric; $32.50.

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KINGSHIGHWAY, 1114 S. — 5 rooms, completely furnished; two bedrooms, $85.

West

BAYARD, 913A—Four furnished rooms; bath, hot-water heat (heat furnished); vacant Dec. 23; rent $65.

SAVINGS TRUST CO., 4915 Delmar.

RESIDENCE Wtd.—6 or 7 rooms, modern, west or southwest. Colfax 4598.

FLATS FOR RENT—Furnished

West

FURNISHED FLAT—Nicely furnished 5 rooms. Cabany 7107J. (c)

FURNISHED FLAT—High-class St. Louis flat, 5-room efficiency; near Chase Hotel. Today. STANLEY EPSTEIN, 819 Chestnut st. Olive 464.

KENSINGTON, 4735—3 rooms, bath, heat, gas, electric furnished.

KINGSHIGHWAY, 1114 S.—3 rooms, completely furnished; two bedrooms, $85. (96)

LACLEDE 4411—5 rooms, furnished or unfurnished flat. (c)

MINERVA, 5815—4-room furnished flat; light, cozy home. Cabany 2156J.

PAGE BL., 3936—First floor flat, furnished; all conveniences. (c7)

UNION, 1117 N.—Furnished 3-room flat; heat; continuous hot water. (c)

VERNON, 5009—5 rooms, furnished; piano and newly decorated.

FLATS AND AP'T'S WANTED

FLAT Wtd.—2 rooms, unfurnished; North End preferred. Box K-34, P.D. (2)

Furnished Flats and Apts Wtd

APARTMENT Wtd.—Two or three rooms, private family by Jan. 1. Address, Nurse, Box K-61, Post-Dispatch.

FURNISHED APARTMENT Wtd.—Episcopal clergyman, wife and mother desire to rent furnished apartment for month of January. February and possibly March location west of Kingshighway. Phone Lindell 5462 Sunday afternoon or write Box P-207, Post-Dispatch. (c)

THREE adults desire 3 or 4 room furnished apartment or flat; state price. Box K-341, Post-Dispatch.

DWELLINGS FOR RENT

Central

CARR, 1824—5 rooms, downstairs; bath, toilet, electric, garage; 3 rooms in attic, cheap. (7)

CHOUTEAU, 1504—8-room house, $62; newly decorated. Forest 2949J.

WASHINGTON BL., 2814—12-room house, furnace, electric, 2 baths. Inquire 2818 Washington. (c99)

North

CHAMBERS, 916—Large 7-room house, front; reasonable rent to good tenant. Eugene Eddy, 713 Chestnut. Olive 8500; Sunday phone Sidney 2984J.

FOR RENT—8 rooms, suitable for rooming house, 1911 and 1913 N. Grand av.

HEBERT, 2348—4 rooms, bath, toilet and electric. O. J. McCAWLEY REALTY CO., 615 Chestnut st.

McLAREAN, 1350 (near Baden public school) —2-story 9-room brick dwelling; bath, one or two families.

J. & J. GUNTLI REAL ESTATE & CO., 3615 N. Bway.

NINETEENTH, 1446 N.—7 rooms, fine for rooming house; low rent. L. Williams, 709 Chestnut. Olive 2713. (c62)

Northwest

BUNGALOW—Will rent part or all; responsible couples; references required. Box R-57, Post-Dispatch.

PRESCOTT, 5724—3-room house; electric light; rent $30; open. HAUSCHULTE R. E. CO., 2407 N. Broadway.

QUEEN, 2736—3-room cottage, water, etc.; adults. ZINK, 13 N. 7th. Main 1420.

THEKLA, 4966—Cottage, 5 rooms, tile bath; garage; $55.

South

BLAINE, 3811A—Two flats, 5 rooms; hardwood floors, sleeping porch and garage.

BLAINE, 4121—Nice 6-room house, bath, electric, gas; shades; being papered and painted; only $45.

SILVERBLATT 722 Chestnut. Olive 5603.

BOTANICAL, 4235—3 rooms, bath. Home Comfort furnace; in excellent condition; $60.

CLEVELAND, 4169—5 rooms and garage; all conveniences; $50.

DEWEY, 5402—New 4-room cottage, laundry, electric, gas, bath; $45; 3 blocks west of Grand.

FIELL, 4131—Pretty 4-room bungalow; almost new tile bath, furnace, one block south Carondelet Park, convenient to Grand car, stores, etc. $35. Key next door. Call R. E. Co., 403 Commercial Bldg.

HICKORY, 1311—8 rooms, bath, electric; garage; no furnace; $45. SILVERBLATT. Chestnut st. Olive 5603. (c2)

LANSDOWNE, 5705—5-room cottage; furnace and all modern conveniences; new; decorated, $50.

McNAIR, 2414—3 rooms, bath, garage, $35. Inquire 2617 Accomac. (c63)

MICHIGAN, 3161—Cottage, 3 rooms; electric; adults; $25. (c68)

RESIDENCE—9 rooms and bath, suitable for boarding house. Apply 3759 S. Broadway between 9 and 2. Phone Sidney 3556. (c65)

RESIDENCE—Five rooms, electric and bath; $35. Inquire 3529 Salena.

RESIDENCE—Beautiful 11 rooms; 4500 block Magnolia; excellent location. Colfax 3150.

RIPA, 1550—New 3 rooms; stucco, Riverside 1816J. (c)

RUTGER, 2330—6-room house, newly decorated; new electric light fixtures, hardwood floors, $45. 914 Harlan. Bell 5000.

WENZLICK, 1010 Chestnut. Olive 1427.

VIRGINIA, 3729—4 rooms, basement room, hot-water heat; garage; $45.50.

VIRGINIA, 2727—5 rooms, furnished, bath, garage; ready Jan. 15. (c)

WYOMING, 4150—Five-room house, large yard; only $50. WM. E. WRISBERG, 3204 S. Grand.

West

AUBERT, 725—9-room home; good location for rooming house.

SAVINGS TRUST CO., 4915 Delmar.

BARTMER, 5727—12 rooms, bath, gas, electric, furnace; $100.

MORRIS AACH R. CO., 826 Chestnut st.

CLAYTON, 6636—6 rooms and bath; steam heat, telephone, laundry equipped; rent $70. Furnished, all conveniences, large yard, chicken house, grape vineyard. Call for card of admission at office.

STANLEY EPSTEIN, 819 Chestnut st. Olive 1427.

CLARK, 3646—Cottage, 3 rooms, bath, electric; rent $26.

ENRIGHT, 4607—10 rooms; income $160; rent $110. Furnished.

EVANS, 3701—6 newly papered and repaired; $40. See

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TO LET—BUSINESS P'RP'SES

Central

FOR LEASE
BUILDINGS

305-7 South Seventh
Six-story building, granitoid basement, electric elevator, about 35,000 sq. ft.; possession Jan. 1.

713-15 Spruce
28,000 sq. ft.; 4-story building and basement; steam heat and elevator.

712-18 Morgan
Two-story brick building, 80x105 feet; possession Jan. 1. For further particulars, see

GIRALDIN BROS. R. E. CO.
813 Chestnut

LOFT SPACE

22nd and Pine
3 floors and basement, each 120x109, in a new building with exceptionally good lights, sprinkler system, large freight and passenger elevator, steam heat and elevator service.

1600 Locust
500 to 1500 square feet of high-grade loft space that can be used for office or stockroom. Heat and good elevator service.

15 N. Main
3 floors, 19x96, each containing 5472 square feet; 1000 pound hand lift. Very low rent.

804 Pine St.
1080 square feet on the third floor for office stockroom or light manufacturing. Heat and elevator service furnished.

Seventh and St. Charles
Corner building with light on 3 sides: 4th, 6th and 7th floors, each 60x84; vacant. Owner will divide. These floors make ideal offices for large tenants. Rental only $350 per month per floor. Heat and elevator service; sprinkler system.

618-20 Olive
Three upper floors each 28x58, for lease to desirable tenant for a long term. Owner will make reasonable alteration.

1409-11 Washington
Second floor, 55x132, with large showroom on first floor. Very good proposition to desirable tenant. If interested, call our office.

ISAAC T. COOK & CO.
1736 ARCADE BLDG.

North

BROADWAY, 2015 N.—Store; $22.50. Forest 29497
GAYFIELD, 3901—Large corner store; excellent spot for soft drink parlor. MOUND REAL TRUST CO., Agent, Union and St. Louis Forest 1000.
GRAND, 3111 N.—New store, 22x75; fireproof building; in good business district. JOHN C. GREULICH REALTY CO., Open Monday evenings. Grand and Hebert.
JEFFERSON, 1340 N.—Large store; any business; rent $35.
HAUSCHULTE R. E. CO., 2407 N. B'way
LEE, 4301-33—Store, 2611 Marcus av., $50. 2324 Adams st., $45.
WALTER JONES R. E. CO., 618 Chestnut.
LINCOLN, 4069 (facing Sarah st.)—Suitable for shoe repair, barber, dry goods, etc. MISS-MEYERICKS R. E. CO., Olive 1262.
SEVENTH, 1007 N.—Large store, $40.
SEVENTH, 1009 N.—Large store, $50.
MORRIS AACI R. E. CO., 906 Chestnut st.
STEAM-HEATED OFFICES
2504 N. 14th; suite of rooms; No. 18, steam heat, janitor service; rent $30.
SCOPE REALTY & LOAN CO.,
Olive 1437. 106 N. 8th st.
DENTIST OR BEAUTY PARLOR.
3158-60 Grand (between Hebert and Palm); wonderful location; 2 large rooms, heat and light furnished. Apply Monday, 2827 St. Louis. Tyler 4348. (c)
DRUGGIST
4201 N. 11th; fine store, with fixtures, suitable for druggist; hot-water heat; rent only $40. HAUSCHULTE R. E. CO., 2407 N. B'way.

Northwest

COTE BRILLIANTE, 3762—Corner store and flat above; furnace.
EXCELLENT STORE.
3250 Harney (or Union and Harney); large store in first-class shaping very desirable neighborhood; heat furnished; $50. MOUND CITY REAL ESTATE CO., Union and St. Louis. Forest 1000.
TAYLOR, 1306 N.—Desirable store; near Easton. Harry M. Boeckmann, 2617 Franklin av.
WREN, 5403—Large store in good location—rent $30. GRAEF, 907 Chestnut. Olive 1342.
STORE—GENERAL MOTORS
5304 Natural Bridge; large store, suitable for any retail business.
HAUSCHULTE R. E. CO., 2407 N. B'way.

South

ALABAMA, 6005—Store, suitable for dry goods business; rent $45.
FEDERER REALTY CO.,
Victor 4762. 2610 Gravois.
BROADWAY, 2207 S.—Store; ideal location. (c)
BROADWAY, 3562 S.—Large corner store; good for any business; also 4 and 3 room flats with bath above; low rent for reliable tenant.
VERNON LAUX, 722 Chestnut, Olive 8300
DE TONTY, 3867A—2 nice offices; rent $35; suitable for doctor or beauty parlor. WM. WILLIAMS, 706 Chestnut, Olive 2713. (c42)
EIGHTEENTH, 1708 S.—Store, 100 ft. front, 45 ft. deep; $75 month. Victor 4762.
GARAGE — 75 car; lively neighborhood; South Side; reasonable. Box W-138, Post-Dispatch.
GRAND, 919 S.—Store, near Chouteau; fine for tire and accessory business. WM. WRISBERG, 3204 S. Grand.
GRAVOIS, 4642—Beautiful large store, 1 block from Bevo Mill. WEISS-MEYERICKS R. CO., Olive 1262.
HICKORY, 1403-11—Excellent location for grocery, meat markets, etc.; new building; reasonable lease. Owner, 1133 St. Louis. (c7)
PESTALOZZI, 2603—Large store.
STORE—S. w. cor 12th and Clark; large or small; low rent. HERRMANN JR. R. E. CO., 816 Chestnut, Olive 8004.
STORE ROOM—Large, with large window facing Morganford and Gravois; will rent cheap; ideal location for meat market and grocery. Shiverdak 1330.
STORES—Bates st., corner Louisiana av.; new; electric fixtures; modern; heat furnished; splendid location for drug store, meat market, or confectionery. Will be divided; $75 for corner store, $65 for inside store.
A. G. BLANKE R. E. CO., 711 Chestnut.
THIRD, 1602 S.—Store and good business location; $25.
A. E. LOCHMOELLER, 702 Chestnut. (c)
TOWER GROVE, 1651 — Just north of Lafayette; choice store, in good business district; suitable for any line.
EUGENE J. ALTHEIMER, 817 Chestnut.
WISCONSIN, 3301—Large store.
MILLIS-WALTERS REALTY CO.,
Olive 4237. 824 Chestnut.

RENT VERY REASONABLE
Good for laundry, tire or mfg. purposes; 2600 Iowa, and 2750 Sidney; 2 connecting stores with basements; rent $75; will lease or rent to good tenants; whole or separate. GREENER REALTY CO., Olive 8740.

BEST SHOE STORE LOCATION ON SOUTH SIDE.
1903 Park ave.; large, attractive store for rent; newly remodeled front, and decorated. Phone Delmar 3047J.

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1715 Tower Grove ave.; suitable for any business; reduced rent. HERRMANN JR. R. E. CO., 816 Chestnut, Olive 8004.

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N. w. corner Chippewa and Compton; beautiful corner store with 3 large display windows, new building; heat; also 4 store with efficiency apartment and hot-water heat; splendid location.
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TO LET—BUSINESS P'RP'SES

West

BOYLE AND MARYLAND—Doctor's office; 3 rooms; good location; hot and cold water FRANCISCUS REALTY CO. (c80)
DELMAR BL., 3816—Doctors' offices; 2 or 3 rooms, furnished.
DELMAR BL., 3920—Large store, with heat furnished; rent reasonable.
SIMON-HEIN R. E. CO., 2 N. 8th.
Olive 34. Olive 9494

4639 Delmar Bl.

LARGE STORE and BASEMENT; heat and janitor service furnished; rental very low; suitable for any kind of business. Located in the busiest street in St. Louis.
MULLIN-WALTERS REALTY CO.
824 Chestnut St. Olive 4237

EASTON, 3512—Desirable store and 3-room flat above. Harry M. Boeckmann, 2617 Franklin. (c)
FOR RENT—5900 Block Easton av.; large store, 22 ft. x 33x78; suitable for Lodge purposes; heat furnished.
SONNEMANN-BARNETT REALTY CO., 3048 Easton av. Cabany 3066.
FILLING STATION—In west part of city; growing business of $3000 per year income. Corner Bertha st. 6900 block. (c)
FURNISHED STUDIO—Of office, Grand and Olive; reasonable. Phone Lindell 4238R, or address Box L-252, Post-Dis. (c)
HODIAMONT, 1016—Choice store; suitable for any kind of business; heat and janitor service.
EUGENE J. ALTHEIMER, 817 Chestnut.
LINDELL, 3402 (at Lindell-Locust cut-off)—Store; desirable location for any business; rent reasonable. ROBERTS, 7012 Federal Reserve Bank Bldg.
LINDELL BL., 4372—Only one store now available in new Lindenwood Apartments; manager on premises.
M. H. RODEMEYER & CO.,
601 Title Guar. Bldg. 706 Chestnut.
MANCHESTER, 4413—Store, flat and garage; 2 blocks from Grand; rent reasonable; will rent separately.
SAVINGS TRUST CO., 401 Delmar.
OLIVE, 4130—Store, 2 rooms and bath; rent $30. Call Tom Grace, Cabany 6302. (7)
OLIVE, 3512—Fine store; good for any business; rent right. (c)
OREON E. & R. G. SCOTT, 800 Chestnut.
OLIVE, 4424-26—Four suites of 3 rooms and reception hall, one of two rooms and reception hall; all on 2 floors; suitable for doctor; heat furnished. Call Olive 7798, or M. H. RODEMEYER & CO.,
601 Title Guaranty Bldg. 706 Chestnut.
OLIVE, 4473—Elegant store in 90-family Sheridan-Apartment building; wonderful location any kind of business; rent $75 per month; heat included. Key with janitor.
OREON E. & R. G. SCOTT, 800 Chestnut.
PAGE BL., 4806—Large store; $35.
GLICK R. E. CO., 922 Chestnut st.
PAGE BL., 3631-31A—Nice, large store with modern 5-room flat above; clean rent, $110.
GLICK R. E. CO., 922 Chestnut st.
ROOM—OFFICE, STEAM HEAT; RESONABLE; CAB. 3246W; PHYSICIAN PREFERRED.
STORE—Large, Vernon and Goodfellow; put in first-class condition.
BALSON REALTY CO., 5899 Delmar.
TAYLOR, 1029 N.—Store; 2 rooms in rear; concrete basement; furnace; will decorate to suit; $30.
WENZLICK, 1010 Chestnut, Olive 1427.

BRAND-NEW STORE
Chouteau and Boyle; good location; heat furnished; rent $45.

STORES—WELLSTON DISTRICT
5833 Easton, 3 stores, 16x50; modern fronts, suitable for millinery dry goods; rent reasonable; will divide or alter to suit tenant. 20
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4921 Delmar; suite of five offices; or will rent separately; two toilets; all conveniences; reasonable rent. Write owner for terms for one or more upon application.
WENZLICK, 1010 Chestnut, Olive 1427.

LINDELL-LOCUST STORE
3308 Lindell; opposite Lindell-Locust cut-off; fine location; fine room for moving picture company's office; $100 sq. ft.; heat furnished; rent right; early possession.
ORBISON R. E. CO., 800 Chestnut.

NEW OFFICES, CHEAP.
1115 HODIAMONT AV.
Two 3-room suites; very low rent; $20 to $22.50 a room, heat and light furnished; 1 month free rent. Fine professional or business location.
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WELLSTON OFFICES
5939-3947 Easton; steam-heated office suites, $30 and $40.
EASTON-TAYLOR TRUST CO.,
4472-74 Easton. (c)

Suburban

DESIRABLE location for barber shop in Wellston.
McKEON REALTY CO., 6128 Easton av.
Cabany 2717.
SPACE—For shoe shining stand; desirable location in Wellston.
McKEON REALTY CO., 6128 Easton av.
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STORE LOCATION—First-class; retail bakery for rent in Ferguson; well located, near Jefferson. C. E. Mengel, Phone Kirkwood 181.
NEW STORES
WEBSTER GROVES
A. w. corner Lockwood and Gray av.; right in the center of main business district, suitable for grocery, meat market, dry goods, auto accessories or any retail store. Fine opportunity; reasonable rent. Key at drug store on corner.
DETERING AGENCY, 3627 Gravois av.
Open Monday evenings.

WANTED BUSINESS P'RP'SES

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BUILDERS' COLUMN

Post-Dispatch Want Ad Phone, Olive 6600 Solid agate, 30c line, daily or Sun. Display, 35c daily, 40c Sun. Discounts, per line: Agate—3 times, 1c; 7 times, 2c; 30 times, daily 3c, Sun 2c. Display, 4c daily, 45c Sun. Discounts, per line: Agate—3 times, 1c; 7 times, 2c; 30 times, daily 3c, Sun 2c. Minimum 2 lines.

BIDS, PLANS, ESTIMATES

HOME BUILDERS, ATTENTION—Plans and specifications; first-class work; very reasonable. Olive K-281, Post-Dispatch.

REAL ESTATE

Post-Dispatch Want Ad Phone, Olive 6600 Solid agate, 30c line, daily or Sun. Display, 35c daily, 40c Sun.; display, 45c daily, 45c Sun. Discounts, per line: Agate—5 times, 1c; 7 times, 2c; 30 times, daily 3c, Sun 2c. Display, 5 times, 1c; 7 times, daily 2c, Sun 3c; 30 times, daily 3c, Sun 2c. Minimum 2 lines.

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REAL ESTATE—EXCHANGE

ACREAGE—400 acres, Carter County, Mo.; timber; will trade for $40,000 stock; must have you for $8000 equity. 4834 Easton. (c)
APARTMENT Wtd.—For exchange, residence property; 20 room rooming-house; suitable for large rooming house; will trade; clear; for equity in 4 or 6 family flat. Box P-127, Post-Dispatch.
BUNGALOW—4-room brick; bath, furnace, garage; lot 35x125; special $4,000. 6034 Lexington.
SONNEMANN-BARNETT REALTY CO., 3048 Easton av. Cabany 3066.
BUSINESS—Growing mining and manufacturing business for farm or flat; value $20,000. Box R-2, Post-Dispatch.
BUSINESS PROPERTY—For exchange; 3701 Easton; 3-story brick with 4 rooms and bath above; garage; want cottage or bungalow. BUSH-BURNS, 1103 Chestnut.
CHICKEN FARM Wtd.—Trade flat or cottage. Box K-419, Post-Dispatch.
COTTAGE—Overland; taken for debt; will sacrifice 4 rooms, bath, furnace; new; $100 cash, or will take part on lot as first payment, balance monthly. 35 Ma-ple st., south of Lackland. Eckert, 706 Century Bldg. Olive 1581.
EXCHANGE—63 flats, 51 apartments; want farms. Minton, Title Guaranty Bldg.
EXCHANGE—6-family apartment; want stores or flats. South Side preferred. Box K-99, Post-Dispatch.
EXCHANGE—Double flat, south; want a single flat or bungalow on South Side. Box K-205, Post-Dispatch.
EXCHANGE—Want merchandise, mills, laundries for flats. Minton, Title Guaranty Bldg.
FARM—For exchange; 130-acre; for city property with stock. Peter Trna, 4237A Castleman. Grand 2660M. (c)
FARM—For sale or exchange; 170 acres, 60 miles St. Louis; 120 cultivation; well improved; clear; sell at bargain or trade for St. Louis property. Box K-270, P-D.
FLAT Wtd.—Four-family; trade farm, near St. Louis. 4305 N. Florissant.

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REAL ESTATE—EXCHANGE

FLAT Wtd.—To exchange; 1474 Blackstone, 4 and 5 room flat; want 3 and 4 single. Central 6084.
FLAT Wtd.—For exchange, single flat, 3 and 5 rooms, 2-car brick garage, for double 4-room flat. REDDIN REALTY CO., Title Guaranty Bldg.
FLATS Wtd.—For exchange; farm, near Gray Summit, Mo., 41 miles from St. Louis on Manchester rd.; 230 acres, 175 in cultivation; fenced, balance in good timber; good 9-room house and outbuildings; will exchange for city flats; what have you to offer?
DROZDA REALTY CO., 4006 Chouteau.
FOR EXCHANGE—Wanted, good auto for cash or for my flats. Cabany 6033W.
FOR EXCHANGE—Or for sale, several lots, Beverly Hills. Main 1193.
FOR EXCHANGE—Business established 7 years, monthly profit $300, for good vacant property. Box R-9, P.-D. (c)
FOR EXCHANGE—Double 4-room flat; bath, electric; for cottage or lots. Box P-530, Post-Dispatch.
FOR EXCHANGE—Arkansas farms, for a stock of goods or furniture. Write owner. Box 395, Little Rock, Ark.
FOR EXCHANGE—Wanted, farm; preferably clear; trade city property. Box P-251, Post-Dispatch. (c)
FOR EXCHANGE—Dry goods stock, $6000; will trade for flats or tenement. Box J-92, Post-Dispatch.
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rooms, new; brick bath finished in
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Dandy double 4-4 room flat, vacant;
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Single 4-5 room brick flat; all conve-
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A beautiful location on parked boule-
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Look at this beautiful flat of 4 and 5
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5 and 5 room flat, with large front porch
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FLAT—3525A Giles; 5-5 modern; hot-
cheap. BUX, 3548 S. Grand.

FLAT—4018 Winnebago; new 5-5 rooms,
modern; $12,500. Grand 6029M.

FLAT—4252 Humphrey; 3-3 rooms; bar-
gain. BUX, 2048 S. Grand.

FLAT—4945 Quincy; 4 rooms; modern;
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FLAT—4 Michigan; modern 3 and 3
rooms, tile bath; bargain. BUX.

FLAT—836 Rutger; 4 rooms, baths; $6500.
BUX, 3548 S. Grand.

FLATS—Two 4-family bricks; price $8000;
rents $1200. Box D-37, Post-Dispatch.

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garage; bargain. Grand 9576. (c)

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FLAT—2026 S. 11th st.; 3-family, 4 and
3 rooms. PECHAN, 12th and Russell.

FLAT—Double; 24x 38x Shenandoah; 4 and 3
$1450; elec., first-class condition.
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FLAT—Single, 39x Lafayette; 5 and 5
tile bath, hdw. floors; easy terms.
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FLAT—1041 Allen av.; double brick, 4-
family, 2 and 3 rooms each; $1850; only
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FLAT—2021-23 Menard st.; 4-family
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lets, hardwood floors; electric; double garage;
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FLAT—5047 Murdock, 4-5 rooms, fur-
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Sale; 3-3; terms. Call 2765 Chouteau
Cates.

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$1500 cash will handle; card necessary;
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bath, electric.
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FLAT—2652 California; single, 4-5 rooms;
good condition; rents $1200. Box D-37,
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FLAT—Double, 5981 Quincy; 4-room,
4-family style; well rented; price made;
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FLAT—Castleman; 4-5 room single; inside
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FLAT—4626 Minnesota; new 5-5 rooms,
modern; $12,500; open Sunday; street
made.

FLAT—4130-32 De Tonty, modern 4-family;
5-3; 2-car garage; bargain for quick
sale. Owner, 4130A.

FLAT—3328 California av.; 5 and 6 room
brick; baths, electric, hot-water heat;
2-car garage.
PECHAN, 12th and Russell.

FLAT—3622 Bamberger; dandy 5 and 6
rooms, bath, steam heat; 2-car garage;
$7000. Hurry.
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FLAT—1923 S. 11th st.; 4 and 4 room
brick; 5-5 rooms 3d floor; also 3-room
flat in rear.
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FLAT—4262 Flad av., a dandy 5 and 6
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FLAT—I will sell my single flat on Arse-
al st. and a bargain for quick sale; 3-3
room and attic; rent $45. See owner,
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FLAT—4101-03 Dewey; 4-family, 3 rooms,
furnaces; rents $175; garages; any rea-
sonable offer will be submitted.
WILL C. WISSMATH, 2838 N. Grand.

FLAT—Double; 2641-43 Allen; 4 and 4
price $14,500; rents $1800; terms.
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FLAT—5237 Sutherland; new 5-5 rooms;
very reasonable; street made;
easy terms; quick sale wanted; $14,500.
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FLAT—4113 Lafayette; 5 rooms,
apartment style; modern in every detail;
must sell; $9,500; easy terms. LEE-
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FLAT—1884 S. 13th st.; 2-family, 3 rooms
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brick, 3 rooms each; also 2-room brick in
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FLAT—4117 Virginia; single 4-4; bath,
separate hot-water heat; blanes, double
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condition, and in good renting location;
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FLAT—Single, 5 and 5, sun parlor; brick
garage; 46xx Delor; double, 3 and 3,
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DETERING AGENCY, 3627 Gravois av.
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2628 Ann; 3-4 rooms, gas, electric.
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4918 Devonshire; 5-6 rooms; modern
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3321 Illinois; 3-3 rooms, electric.
3531 Illinois; 3-3 rooms, gas, electric.
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4953 Kansas; 4-4 rooms; modern
throughout; terms.
2816 La Salle; 4-5 rooms, bath, electric.
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made.
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3229-3231 Minnesota; two of the best
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Arco hot-water heat, tile baths; all mod-
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must see place for yourself. Open 2 to 5
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SINGLE FLAT—3948 Castleman av.; 4-5
rooms, bath, electric; a real buy. Call
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SINGLE FLAT—3622 Harrison st.; 4-5
rooms, bath, furnace, brick; 2-car ga-
rage. Price $10,000. Call Grand 1412M.
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4 and 5 rooms, electric, bath, screens
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Dandy double flat, 4 rooms and sun-
rooms; Murphy beds, hardwood floors, etc.
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DANDY MODERN DOUBLE 4-4
3732-34 Shenandoah; hardwood floors, fur-
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Arco hot-water heat; this goes into a
good flat; here's a dandy investment that
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Dandy 5 and 6 room flat, baths, fur-
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Am anxious to sell my 3-family splendid
apartment-flat corner block on Waterman
av.; 8 rooms, 2 baths, right in every way;
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NEW DOUBLE.
1120 Louisville; new 4-family of five
rooms each, with tile bath, hardwood
floors, hot-water heat, basement, four-
car garage; reasonably priced.
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Forest 1000. Union and St. Louis.

FOUR-FAMILY BARGAIN
5 rooms, sun parlor, enclosed sleeping
porches; 2 beautiful flats built 4-family; west
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See this 4 and 5 room double flat, brick
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ANNUAL RENTS, $1050—PRICE $8750

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We offer 1018-30 Hodiamont av., opposite car barns, one-half block of buildings containing 7 stores and 9 flats, renting for $9060 a year. This property can be bought at quick sale for only $72,000. Buy this at once. A fair money-maker.

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CASH loaned to salaried furniture owners; convenient terms for Christmas purposes; confidential; reasonable. Washington. (c8)

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Get your Christmas money here—$5 OR MORE; small installments; no debt; canceled if you die, become totally disabled or suffer any of 13 other unavoidable misfortunes. (c)

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CONFIDENTIAL 5-MINUTE LOANS. Autos, furniture, mortgages, rewritten, payments reduced. BROOKMAN, 604 Equitable Bldg., 613 Locust. (8)

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LOANS—$10 to $300, on furniture, piano and other security; no delay; answer same day. Guaranty Finance Co., room 510, 705 Olive st. Olive 2662. (c80)

LOANS—LOANS—LOANS.

Money loaned to people keeping house; easy payments; costs others rates; then see ours. THE AMERICAN CO., 377 Arcade Bldg. Entrance 211 N. 8th st. (c5)

MONEY to salaried people; quick, confidential. People's Brok. Co., 1842 Ry. Ex. (c65)

MONEY loaned on automobiles by the week or month. Auto Auctioneers, 1721 Olive. (c8)

MONEY TO LOAN—2 per cent per month on jewelry, clothing, furs, guns, musical instruments. Dunn, 912 Franklin. Established 1873. (c30)

MONEY loaned on furniture and pianos at 2 per cent per month; also warehouse receipts. Mound City Loan Co., 427 Victoria Bldg. (c58)

MONEY loaned to salaried persons; easy payments; low rates; confidential. Standard Credit Co., 2081 Railway Exchange Bldg. (c8)

MONEY TO LOAN—$25 to $5000 on "The Morris Plan;" payable $5 per week; 8 payments; charges 8 per cent discount. Industrial Loan Co., 714-718 Chestnut.

MONEY TO LOAN—On furniture, pianos, real estate, automobiles, store and office fixtures; machinery or on good indorsement and on all other good terms. Frank, 712 Chestnut. Olive 6157. (c83)

MONEY TO LOAN

Furniture and automobiles; easy payments; $50 to $1000. 2901 Olive. (c8)

PRIVATE LOANS to furniture owners; make your own terms; lowest rates. The Mutual Co., 207 Victoria Bldg., 8th and Locust. Phone Central 6006. (c14)

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BUSINESS—Small; well stocked; transf. trade; sacrifice price. Box P-97, P-D.

BUSINESS—Waukesha Creamery Co. Penny & Gentile's Basement, doing good business.

BUSINESS—Going business, in a good location in best town in lead belt, for sale or exchange for stock, groceries, or merchandise, equity in flat, or would take medium priced automobile; make auto for complete equipment soda fountain, lunch, confectionery business; stock and fixtures, about $3000. Phone Grand 2796M or write S. M. M., 3452 Pestalozzi St., Louis.

CHILE PARLOR—N. Vandeventer; doing big business. Box W-148, Post-Dis.

CHILI PARLOR—West End; marble tables; lease; counter first-class; sacrifice. Box P-314, Post-Dispatch.

CIGAR STORE—Tobaccos, paper and laundry branch. Box K-78, Post-Dis.

CLEANING—And tailoring, bargain; rent $35. Cabanne 4900.

CLEANING AND PRESSING SHOP—Hoffman machine; fine location; cheap rent. Box P-30, Post-Dispatch. (c)

CLOTHING STORE—Best location in city; stock secondhand clothing, tools; sell account death. 1307 Market. Call before 10 a. m.

COAL AND ICE BUSINESS—Rent $7; fine team of horses, 3 wagons, harness, tools, etc.; net profit $200 monthly; price $900.
FRY & KERR INVESTMENT CO., 704-05 Victoria Bldg., 8th and Locust. Phone Central 2840.

ACTIVE COMMISSION BUSINESS — 20 years in business; selling out account sickness; selling everything. Box R-52, Post-Dispatch.

COMMISSION BUSINESS—Poultry and eggs; rent $24, daily receipts, $100; truck, refrigerator, egg cases, coops, etc.; price $1800.
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CONFECTIONERY—Doing good business; near Normandy. 4743 N. Vandeventer.

CONFECTIONERY—N. 25th st., opposite school; rooms; $900; Box W-145, P-D.

CONFECTIONERY—Across from school and college rooms. 4900 Delmar.

CONFECTIONERIES and groceries. Peter Urna, 4257A Castleman. Grand 2600M.

CONFECTIONERY—Lunchery; old stand. 1610 S. 7th.

CONFECTIONERY—And grocery. 2418 S. 15th; room in rear; $250. Owner must go town.

CONFECTIONERY—Good location; near to factories and schools. 3105 N. Jefferson ave.

CONFECTIONERY—And delicatessen; established; beautiful fixtures; consider partner, cash and terms. 6006 Pershing.

CONFECTIONERY—And restaurant; serving 20 dinners; good counter trade; will bear inspection; bargain if taken at once. 1454 Lafayette ave.

CONFECTIONERY AND NOVELTY SHOP—Rent $22.50; one rear room; excellent chance; sell saleable stock; price; business for woman to manage; price $1800.
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DENTAL CHAIR—Will sell cheap; leaving city. Box K-24, P.-D.

DRUG STORE—West; established business. Box K-394, Post-Dispatch.

DRUG STORE—Good; owner disabled; will sacrifice cash; sacrifice. 4163 Manchester av.

DRUG STORE—North Side; very active business; good lease; good fixtures; clearing over $500 monthly; $3000 cash, balance notes. Box P-82, Post-Dispatch.

FILLING STATION—Union bldg.; wonderful location; long lease; free rent; brick bldg.; pumps, etc. Box W-146, Post-Dis.

FILLING STATION—Accessories and battery station; only thoroughfare; showing exceptionally large business; long lease; wonderful opportunity. Box K-391, P-D.

FILLING STATION-RESIDENCE — 10-room house, filling station, weekly sales $400 to $500; corner lot 145x200 ft.; price $13,000; terms; will sell house separately or sell filling station and give service; terms; price $13,000.
FRY & KERR INVESTMENT CO., 704-05 Victoria Bldg., 8th and Locust. Phone Central 2840.

FRUIT, FISH AND POULTRY MARKET—Doing good business; 2913 Calhoun.

FISH, OYSTERS AND POULTRY—Doing good business; object for selling, leaving city. Apply 3307A Lucede av.

FURNITURE STORE—Bargain if taken by Dec. 24. 1341 S. 11th.

GARAGE—West of Grand; 100-car capacity; long lease. Box W-144, P-Dis.

GARAGE AND REPAIR SHOP—Sublet; equipment and accessories; storage room; worth the money. Forest 6569R.

GARAGE-FILLING STATION — Corner; 100-car capacity; all the time; long lease; 80 steady storage, large transient trade. Box W-148, Post-Dispatch.

GARAGE—100-car capacity; West End; on Delmar; will clear $8000 to $10,000 year profit; good reason for selling. Box P-148, Post-Dispatch.

23-CAR CAPACITY GARAGE — N. Jefferson, all kinds of tools, gas, oil, filling station, repair shop; $90; price $1200. 400 Title Guaranty Bldg. Olive 4482.

$6500 GARAGE BUSINESS.
47xx west; 75-car capacity. 7-year lease; $2750; worth $4500; complete set of tools; storage $10 to $30; 7-room flat. Phone Sunday, Riverside 0966. 400 Title Guaranty Bldg. Olive 4482.

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60xx west; owner pulls $11,000 for this location 2 years ago and is now interested in another business; open for offers. Also has some $4500 monthly average; $2500 and up; 3 other good locations; $1250 and up; some details phone us for appointment Sunday. Riverside 4705W.
FRY & KERR INVESTMENT CO., 704-05 Victoria Bldg., 8th and Locust. Phone Central 2840.

Gents' Furnishing and Clothing
All new stock and fixtures; excellent location on Gravois; a busy section; $500; 3 other good avenue; selling account traveling salesman; will invoice.
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BUSINESS CHANCES

MAXONITE

New discovery for automobiles and aeroplane radiators. Discovered by Dr. Maxon. A solution more economical, more satisfactory than alcohol. Will not freeze at twenty-five degrees below zero Fahrenheit. Here is an opportunity for country distributors. Mr. Howell will be at Statler Hotel on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday with full information.

BUSINESS FOR SALE

FURNISHINGS—New, clean cost; new fixtures; good location; price act quick; owner 5031 Gravois.

GROCERY-SALOON—Chaughers st.; weekly sales $600. Box W-147, Post-Dis.

GROCERY-MARKET—N. Vandeventer. 4 rooms, bath above. Box W-390, P.-Dis.

GROCERY-CREAMERY—North; fine fixtures; long lease. Box 149, Post-Dis.

GROCERY-MARKET—Cass av.; $600 per week cash business. Box W-387 P.-Dis.

GROCERY—And meat market, doing good business; corner Taylor and Maffitt.

GROCERY-MARKET—North Union; cash-sell account business. Box W-391, Post-Dis.

GROCERY—Meat market, also restaurant and soft drink parlor; owner leaving city. 813 S. Vandeventer. (7)

GROCERY AND NOTIONS—Good location; living rooms rear. 5655 Easton.

GROCERY—And meat market, old, established. 2720 Franklin.

GROCERY—Good location; meat market; 6 rooms; bargain today. Cot'ax 4218J. (c)

GROCERY-STORE—Meat market, confectionery; party leaving city. Cab. 4948M.

GROCERY—Meat market; corner location; cash trade. 1300 28t. Louis.

GROCERY AND MEAT MARKET—Colored trade; reason for selling, cannot run two stores. Bomont 611. (c7)

GROCERY AND MARKET—Doing big business; must sell; selling account health. Box K-384, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY STORE AND MEAT MARKET—Good established business; 9 years; all invoice stock; $1000. 2750 Laclede.

GROCERY—And market; good going; good reason for selling; reasonable. 3011 Easton.

GROCERY AND MEAT MARKET—Long lease; make your own terms. 4478 Natural Bridge.

GROCERY—And market; Yale av. Maplewood; clean stock. CARTWRIGHT MARKET, Grand 9958.

GROCERY—And meat market; old established; must sell account of sickness. Call 7627 N. Grand.

GROCERY—Meat market; north Clara; good business; owner above; garage, $2500. Box K-332, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY—And confectionery, with 2 living rooms; $20 rent; $750. 219 N. Channing.

GROCERY-MARKET—1329 Lynch st.; cash-and-carry business; consider terms. Box W-136, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY-CREAMERY—N. Union; all cash business; living rooms. Box W-392.

GROCERY-MARKET—And building; in country; $600 a week business; no competition; lease; must sell; will invoice $9000. Box W-389, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY AND BUTCHER SHOP—Up-to-date; equipped; lease; best business block; owner must sacrifice for $1900. Call 1728 S. Broadway. (c)

GROCERY—Established; cash store; meat on handle; 3 living rooms; modern fixtures; $1500 cash; $500 time. Box K-294, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY—And market; West End; doing wonderful business; wonderful opportunity; will trade for income property. Box K-133, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY—Best; meat market; worth $2500; will sacrifice for $1450 if sold at once; South Side. For information, Grand 4401 Tennessee av.

GROCERY-MARKET—Centrally located; one of the largest and best located stores in the city; sales will average $12,000 monthly; a snap at $4000; reason for selling accident; price $10,500; terms. Box W-394, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY—And meat market; restricted district; finest location in town; near O'Fallon park; fixtures of finest make; Walker Bank Wafer oven; larger size space room for bakery or any other line of business; will sacrifice; terms if need be. Call 4401 Tennessee av.

Grocery and Meat Market

In thriving Missouri town of 8000, the trade center of a prosperous territory of 40,000; completely equipped, including 2-ton auto truck; modern brick building 24x80, with 7 living rooms upstairs; average sales, $6200 per month. Box K-373, Post-Dispatch.

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HOTEL—Income $600; low rent. Box P-23, Post-Dispatch.

HOTEL—For sale, restaurant in connection; good location; money maker for live party. Box K-388, Post-Dispatch.

HOTEL—Or sublease; Prisco Railroad and State highway; will sell or trade for city or county property. Box G-299, P.-Dis.

LADIES' AND MISSES' WEARING APPAREL and millinery store; lease; leaving town. Box P-273, Post-Dis.

LADIES' ready-to-wear, bargain; well established; $1500 can buy, worth while. Box K-408, Post-Dis.

LUMBER YARD—In good town of 8000 (the center of a prosperous territory of about 350x140); lumber sheds, office, basement, workshop; also stock on hand; $6000; an excellent opening for small investment. Box 146, Litchfield, Ill.

LUNCHROOM—$350. 4363 St. Louis av. Open 5 a. m. Sunday.

LUNCHROOM—Small; sacrifice. Call Tuesday, 1536W.

LUNCHROOM—3547 Easton; guaranteed good business; proprietor sick.

LUNCHROOM—Real money-maker; well established; no competition; net profits $12 day up; price $1250; cash or trade; owner today. Cabany 167.

LUNCHROOM—Big patronage from transients; daily receipts $40; price $3000. FRY & KERR INVESTMENT CO., 704-05 Victoria Bldg., 8th and Locust. Phone Central 2840.

MANUFACTURING CONCERN — Firmly established, desires to sell; controlling interests. Box P-313, P.-D.

MANUFACTURING AND REPAIR—Doing business; branch of automobile field in this territory; $150,000 to handle; wonderful paying proposition; less made per year; a fortune sufficient to retire; ideal proposition for young man of technical man; full details only to sincere individuals or principals; agents, and the like need not answer. Box P-315, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MEAT MARKET—Must have other business. Call Sunday, 9 to 12. 1422 Cass.

MEAT MARKET—In grocery store; doing business; rent $10 month. Call any time Sunday. 4011 Delmar.

MILLINERY STORE—Good location; Box P-118, Post-Dispatch.

MUSIC STORE

Good location; stock musical instruments, phonographs, records and sheet music; $10,000. Call Indiana, 1737 Frisco Bldg.

NOTION STORE—Doing good business; stock men's and ladies' clothing and furnishings, new fixtures at a low price cash. Box K-5, Post-Dispatch.

NEWSPAPER AGENCY—2000 daily, 4000 Sunday; large wholesale magazine business; apply in writing. Box J2, Century Bldg.

NEWSPAPER ROUTE—Morning papers best corner. Call 4401 Tennessee av.

NEWSPAPER ROUTE—Evening, 1000 daily; 500 Sunday; bargain. Call Central 9710J.

PAPER Wtd.—In established confectionery doing good business; fine neighborhood; will trade for auto in trade. Box A-415, Post-Dispatch.

PARLOR ROOM—4 tables; doing good business; 2720 S. 9th.

POOLROOM—Money maker; priced to sell; investigate this. Box P-308, Post-Dis.

POOL TABLES; will sacrifice; reasonable; good location. 1316 Pine. Post-Dis.

POULTRY—Medium size, good business; real opportunity. Box P-340, P.-D.

PRINT SHOP—One 10x15 Chandler-Price; one 8x12 Chandler-Price, Miller; one 14½x22 Chandler-Price Gordon; one 36" paper cutter; stock, equipment, type, etc.; cost new $4000. Will sell one two years old complete as new, or the outfit for private plant or party going to go in business. Box K-317, Post-Dispatch.

RESTAURANT—First class, leaving town; $700. Lafayette. (c6)

RESTAURANT—Good reason for selling. Transfer corner; all new.

RESTAURANT—Transfer joint; good business; reasonable. Call 1907 N. Grand.

RESTAURANT—Good equipment; $400 cash. Olive 4149.

RESTAURANT—For sale, trade or lease. Owner, 4431 Easton.

RESTAURANT—No reasonable offer refused. 3229 Park.

RESTAURANT—Wholesale district; have other business. Box K-382, P.-D.

RESTAURANT—Well established; cold stand; come and investigate. 1720 Washington av. (c)

RESTAURANT—Delicatessen and soft drinks; transfer point, California and Cherokee.

RESTAURANT—Dandy little money maker; just the place for lady or man and wife; $800 will handle. 2312A Olive.

RESTAURANT—Downtown; doing $300 daily business; good reasons for selling. Box K-105, Post-Dispatch.

RESTAURANT—Dandy; well equipped; $150 down; adjoining factory. Lindell 1510.

ROOMING HOUSE—9 rooms; 38xx Washington; well furnished; rent $55. Lindell 1510.

RESTAURANT—Good South Side business; clean; rent; owner retiring. M. E. WRISBERG, 3204 S. Grand.

RESTAURANT—With living rooms, clearing $85 to $100 per week. 3205 Easton. Ask for Jenkins. (c99)

RESTAURANT—CHILD PARLOR—$80 cash; sold by Monday; well equipped; has good business; has other business. 604 N. Garrison.

RESTAURANT—And 2 living rooms; rent $20; received $12 to $18 a day; see for yourself; price $150. Call Central 9650J after 6 p. m.

ROOMING HOUSE—6 rooms; big bargain; good investment. 2722 Cass. (c)

ROOMING HOUSE—10 rooms; good income; bargain. 5246 Maple. (c)

ROOMING HOUSE—15 rooms; price $350. Call 2932 Olive st.

ROOMING HOUSE—Fine location. Box P-14, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMING HOUSE—8 rooms, furnished, $350 for quick sale. 711 N. Sarah.

ROOMING HOUSE—20 rooms, gas, electric, $175. 2950A Easton.

ROOMING HOUSE—18 rooms; well furnished. 1433 Bremen.

ROOMING HOUSE—8 rooms; leaving city; make offer. Lindell 1408R.

ROOMING HOUSE—16 rooms; steam heat; rent $95; income $350. Lindell 1510.

ROOMING HOUSE—6 rooms, bath, modern; rent $40. 3944 Cleveland.

ROOMING HOUSE—7 rooms; bargain for quick sale. 722A Market.

ROOMING HOUSE—7 rooms, housekeeping, 3 apartments. 1210A N. Kingshighway.

ROOMING HOUSE—Trade for confectionery or grocery. Peter Urna, 4257A Castleman. Grand 2600M.

ROOMING HOUSE—3801 West Pine; a wonderful bargain at $1450; immediate possession.

ROOMING HOUSE—Cheap; good roomers; call Sunday or week days after 6 p. m. 3402 Franklin.

ROOMING HOUSE—9 rooms, beautifully furnished; must sell; no dealers. 5702 Enright. Forest 5127M. (c62)

ROOMING HOUSE—11 rooms, well furnished; good income. 3544 Lindell bl., near Grand.

ROOMING HOUSE—10 rooms; rent $75; income $160; terms; bargain. Lindell 1227M.

ROOMING HOUSE—46xx west; 10 rooms; cash, $200; terms; trade for seconds; bargain. Olive 8284. (c7)

ROOMING HOUSE—Beautifully furnished; not ordinary; steam heat; 7 rooms; $35 rent; $800. 3504A Olive.

ROOMING AND BOARDING HOUSE—West; good income; investigate. Box K-380, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMING HOUSE—8 rooms; heat furnished; rent $65; good furniture; $1000 terms; bargain. Lindell 8067. (c)

ROOMING HOUSE—13 rooms, 2 baths; beautifully furnished; something good; immediate possession. Lindell 8067.

ROOMING HOUSE—10 rooms; well furnished; rent $90; good location; make offer; terms. Lindell 8067.

ROOMING HOUSE—Attention; 10 rooms excellent West End location; rent only $50; lease. Lindell 8067. (c)

ROOMING HOUSE—15 rooms; West Pine; housekeeping; 2 baths; heat; lease; bargain; $1800. Lindell 8067. (c)

ROOMING HOUSE—12 rooms, steam heat, 2-car garage; immediate possession; terms. Owner, 4244 Maryland.

ROOMING HOUSE—Cates av.; neat and clean daylight rooms; low rent with steam heat furnished; sacrifice. Box K-381, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMING HOUSE—42xx Maryland, 11 rooms; fine; completely furnished; well furnished; income $340; 3-car ga. rage; lease; $1650. Lindell 8067. (c)

ROOMING HOUSE—17 rooms; good furniture; full; steam heat; income $310; rent $120; must sell at once; terms; no agents. Homont 952W. 2925 Washington.

ROOMING HOUSE—4447 Delmar; 11 clean, beautifully furnished rooms; income $320; rent $105; leaving city; sell for $1400; half cash, balance monthly.

ROOMING HOUSE—Extra bright; rent 10 rooms; nicely furnished; will account any reasonable offer.
FRY & KERR INVESTMENT CO., 704-05 Victoria Bldg., 8th and Locust. Phone Central 2840.

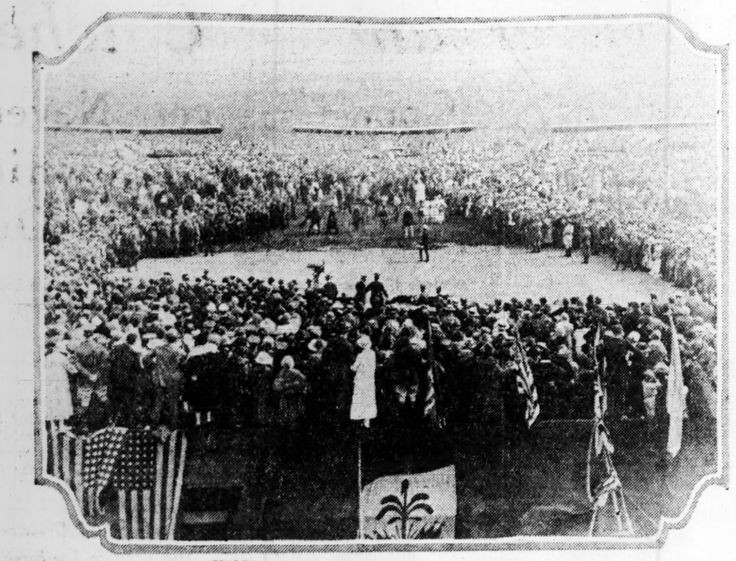
ROOMING HOUSE—Cheap; account sickness; good location. 1424 Hickory.

ROOMING HOUSE—7 rooms; bargain for quick sale. 722A Market.

ROOMING HOUSE—7 rooms, housekeeping, 3 apartments. 1210A N. Kingshighway. Forest 1341

Adventures of the Round-the-World Flyers

WELCOMED AT TOKIO AFTER FETES AT KASUMIGAURA



WORLD FLYERS GREETED IN TOKIO

AFTER many weeks of battling storms, cold, and ice, the United States World flyers finally arrived in the land of lotus blossoms and civilization again. Photograph shows part of the reception crowd which greeted the flyers on their arrival in Tokio.

Airmen Arrive in Japanese Capital by Train and Are Greeted by Great Throng —Flew 900 Miles in 11 Hours to Kasumigaura.

By LOWELL THOMAS.

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"There is something exotic and Alice in Wonderland like about the appearance of Japan, even when you see it from an airplane," says Lieut. Ogden. "The main island along the eastern edge of which we flew from Minato to Tokio is far from monotonous. The coast line under us was dotted with dozens of little fishing villages, and on our right we watched the rice fields, mountains, forests, and towns slip by. Whenever we passed over a village, and we often did at the rate of two a minute, we could see people scurrying out of their thatched houses to see us. Off to our left were countless thousands of sampans, fishing smacks and junks bobbing up and down on the Pacific.

"One of the Americans who had come out with a sampan load of gas for us at Minato told us to be on the lookout for Matsushima, one of the 'three principal sights' of Japan, on our way south. Matsushima turned out to be an archipelago of forest covered islands about midway down the east coast of Hondo from Minato to Tokio, and we dove down for a nearer view. There are nearly a thousand of them, all made of soft, porous volcanic rock. The waves of the Pacific have worn them into the wierdest fantastic shapes, each with a picturesque name such as the 'Sun,' 'Moon,' and 'Never Growing Old Island.' From where we were in the sky they looked like 'green cameos set in an opalescent sea.'

900 Miles in Day.

"A few minutes after 5 we saw Lake Kasumiga Ura ahead of us to the right. It is only about forty-five miles north of Tokio, and we had come all the way south from Hitokappu, a distance of 900 miles, in this one day. There must have been 20,000 or 30,000 people waiting for us, among them various heads of the Imperial Government, Generals, Admirals, representatives from our own embassy, and dignaritles from many other countries.

"Long concrete runways extended out in the lake and led up to a stone pier, where the vast throng waited to give us the first big reception that we had had since leaving Seattle. There were three of these runways, and motor boats came out to tow one plane alongside each. As we approached the pier at this Japanese naval air base, the people waved flags, thousands of them, and shouted 'bonzi.' They shouted as though they really meant it.

"There were thousands of frail looking little Japanese women in their fancy kimonos and sashes, with their hair piled up on their heads so neatly. For variety and color we had never seen anything like it. And their smile—ah, we knew we were going to like Japan! After coming down out of the Arctic, it was indeed a beautiful picture.

"After the formal reception, at which we were most cordially welcomed by the high officials, and after we had made our planes fast for the night, we were taken to the Japanese naval air service club nearby, and each assigned a separate room and an orderly.

"Much as we all wanted to see Tokio, we spent all of the next day getting the planes ready so that we could overhaul them, checking over the supplies, and preparing to take the ships out of the water so we could change from pontoons to wheels. It was lucky, too, that we were going to change to pontoons, because when Smith and Arnold were on the Chicago that morning a boatman came rowing alongside, and when they asked him to move on he put his oar against a pontoon to push himself away and shoved a hole right through it.

Meet Geisha Girls.

"That evening we had our first introduction to the teahouses and geisha girls of Japan, when one of the admirals took us to dinner in the town of Tsuchimira. Having often heard of the geishas, and wondering just who they really were, we all looked forward to this party. Nor were we one bit disappointed. When we stepped from our limousines to the veranda of the teahouse, checked our shoes and were welcomed by a crowd of Japanese maids in flowered kimonos, it seemed as though we had stepped right into the pages of a story book.

"We entered a room with a floor covered with straw mats and with walls that were mere screens made of wood and paper. The admiral invited us to kneel on silk cushions. Then a tiny table of lacquer was placed in front of each of us by very pretty geisha girls assigned to serve and entertain us. All of them were demure, charming, laughing-eyed, 16-year-old maidens. Each time one of them brought in another course she would kneel down on the floor, bow and touch her forehead to the matting. Each geisha devotes herself exclusively to the gentleman whom she has been assigned to wait upon, removes the various courses, brings others, lights his cigarets as he reclines on his cushion, fills his little cup with warm sake, and initiates him into the mystery of using chopsticks.

"The Admiral had ordered nothing but Japanese food, but we were too busy fiddling with our chopsticks to bother about what we were eating. Just try eating rice with two knitting needles and you will know what it's like.

"Sake was another thing we knew nothing about until we arrived here. It seems to be served everywhere and flows almost as freely as water. It is a light white wine made from rice, and instead of serving it in a pail of ice they put it on the stove and heat it. Japan surely is a topsy-turvy land. Or is it that we are the funny ones? Not only do the Japanese drink their wine hot instead of cold, take scalding hot baths instead of cold ones, and read and write from right to left, but we noticed up at Hitokappu that the sailors on their destroyers would beach their boats stern foremost. At the village of Yanketo we saw men backing horses into their stalls instead of leading them in. Then they have several other customs that seem peculiar to the Western world, such as never using profane language and regarding it as extremely vulgar for women to reveal their arms, shoulders, and ankles as occidentals do. If a Japanese wants to abuse or insult another he simply omits the usual polite superlatives or spreads them on so thick that they indicate derision.

"After we had dined the geishas danced and sang for us. The music was odd and weird and somewhat inharmonious, but the dancing was most artistic and utterly different from our American jazz or shimmy. The geishas, in bright silks, with dainty fans, merely postured before gold and silver screens. It all seemed in equisite taste.

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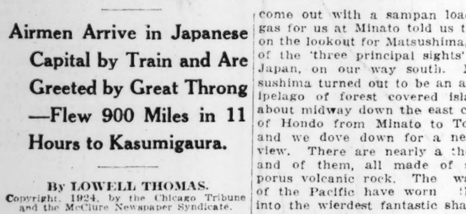

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Display to Be Inaugurated With Formal Ceremony Performed by the Pope.

By the Associated Press.

ROME, Dec. 20.—Thousands of objects portraying the life and customs of natives in every corner of the globe where Catholic missionaries are engaged were exhibited today at the Vatican missionary exposition which will constitute one of the chief attractions for millions of pilgrims during the coming holy year.

The exposition will be formally inaugurated tomorrow with a ceremony performed by the Pope in the presence of a few Vatican dignitaries and visiting ecclesiastics.

The exposition fills 23 halls of five large pavilions in the Vatican gardens. The pavilions were constructed especially for the purpose at a cost of more than 10,000,000 lire.

The ceremony of opening the Holy Doors to the Basilicas of the churches of Santa Maria Maggiore, St. John in Lateran and St. Paul, which will take place simultaneously with the opening of the holy door of St. Peters by the Pope to inaugurate the holy year, the day before Christmas, will return to the ancient custom of outside processions instead of being entirely carried out within the basilicas, as in 1900. The entire chapter of the clergy, the members of the religious communities and the seminarians will take part in the carrying of crosses and banners through the streets of Rome in these ceremonials.

The general setting of the exposition is most attractive, the pavilions being situated at the edge of the great vatican gardens, with the palm trees and tropical shrubbery resplendent in the balmy Roman sunlight. Alongside the pavilions are the papal formal gardens, three plots of which have been planted with small, variously colored shrubbery, in such a way as to give a special holy year significance. Two plots show in detail the papel coat-of-arms, and a third has the shrubbery so arranged as to spell out "Plus XI, Anno Santo, 1925."

COUNTRY DAY PUPIL WRITES BEST ESSAY ON HOME LIGHTING

Winners in an essay contest on the subject of "Home Lighting," conducted by the St. Louis Electrical Board of Trade for pupils of city and county grade and high schools, were announced yesterday.

Franklin Ferriss of 18 Lenox place, a student of Country Day School, won first prize, $250 in cash. He is a son of Henry T. Ferriss, vice president of the First National Co. Others awarded prizes were: Mary L. Carleton, 6102 Waterman avenue, attending Soldan High School, platinum wrist watch; Ethel Jean Lyons, 823 Bompart avenue, Webster Groves High School, radio set; Albert F. Shorkey, 3831 Juniata street, Horace Mann Public School, radio set, and 200 pupils awarded minor prizes.

The winners in the local contest automatically became contestants in a national contest on the same subject, conducted by national electrical scientific societies. The object of the contest is instruction in eye preservation of students through proper home lighting. The grand prize in the national contest is a $15,000 home, to be built in the city in which the winner resides. Ten scholarships to American Universities will be awarded other winners.

CEDAR POLE FIRMS INDICTED

Fifteen Individuals Also Accused Under Anti-Trust Act.

By the Associated Press.

SPOKANE, Wash., Dec. 20.—Eleven cedar pole firms and 15 individuals of eight Middle West and Pacific Northwest states were indicted on a charge of violation of the Sherman anti-trust act by a Federal grand jury today.

Firms in Iowa, Michigan, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Montana, Idaho and Washington were indicted.

Four Freed in Mail Fraud Case.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 20.—A verdict of not guilty was returned in United States District Court tonight in the case of A. W. and Harold Walker, Sidney Menasco and Hudmon Hopson, officers of the bankrupt Wilker Consolidated Petroleum Co., charged with use of the mails to defraud in the sale of stock.

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Mrs. J. G. writes: "I have been using Su-thol tablets for headache and neuralgia due to a bad cold, and have received wonderful results. May I ask if you will kindly recommend a medicine that will aid in overcoming an oily skin that is covered repeatedly with festering pimples?"

Answer: I suggest Sulpherb tablets, as a laxative, blood improving treatment. These tablets contain purified sulphur, calcium and vegetable extracts that produce very satisfactory results.

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R. J. C. writes: "Owing to financial trouble, I greatly overworked myself during the past two years, and for some months have been in a nervous state and run down physically. Am quite thin and white, tire easily, have shortness of breath and severe nervous headache. Can you help me?"

Answer: The aid produced by taking Cadomene tablets should soon bring back natural health and strength. Try them!

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T. A. P. writes: "I am employed as brakeman, and being out in all sorts of weather have developed muscular rheumatism, which nothing seems to help. What should I do for it?"

Answer: I suggest Cardiol tablets, a non-secret formula, that has proven most effective in correcting rheumatic affections. For quick relief of the pain take Su-thol tablets.

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S. A. K. asks: "Will you kindly tell me what will help to relieve a pain and distress due to poor action of the kidneys? I have backache and stiffness of joints and muscles. My sleep is disturbed by bladder irritation, and always a scanty flow."

Answer: I am reasonably sure that such a condition can be greatly benefited by using Balmwort tablets and suggest that you try them.

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D. L. B. asks: "Can you tell me how to reduce weight? When I married I only weighed 118 pounds. In two years I have gained and now weigh 162 pounds."

Answer: Arbolone tablets is the medicine I have recommended during the past twelve years. It is generally quickly effective, where obesity is concerned.

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Mrs. T. L. writes: My two children are subject to spasmodic croup and have such alarming hoarseness and coughing that I am worried all the time as nothing seems to help them. My husband too has an obstinate cough which the usual remedies fail to help."

Answer: Obtain essence Mentho-Laxene. Follow directions, which tell you how to make a full pint of a delicious tasting, quickly effective cough syrup. For spasmodic croup and stubborn cough there is nothing better in my opinion.

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Answer to K. L., C. B. B. and R. T.: Oily scalp, dandruff and itching of the scalp can be quickly overcome by using plain yellow Minyol. Should your local druggist not supply any of the medines I recommend, write to Spoon's Pharmacy, Fifth and Western Ave., Dayton, Ohio.

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Answer to C. Y. R.: You will find the information sought, and much more of value to your family, in my "Health and Beauty Book." Thousands rely on its pages to keep in good health.

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NOTE: For many years Dr. Lewis Baker, Medical Director The Blackburn Products Co., 312 College Bldg., Dayton, Ohio, has been recommending trustworthy medicines to millions of people through the medium of the newspapers, and doubtless has helped in relieving the ailments and minor infirmities of the public more than any single individual in the world's history; and by an inexpensive method. The medicines mentioned by him are pure and free from habit-forming drugs. They represent the combined wisdom and experience of physician and chemist. Progressive druggists can supply them. By reading his answers to others you should find a case similar to your own.

A copy of Dr. Baker's great guide book, "Health and Beauty," will be mailed to anyone sending ten cents (coin).

Thousands have written him expressions similar to the following:

LETTERS TO DR. BAKER

BATTLE CREEK, MICH.: Mr. Matt Ryan, 99 Garfield Ave., writes: "I have been using Cadomene tablets, also Sulpherb tablets and find they are doing me a great amount of good. I had been bothered with constipation and was always full of gas. I got so miserable that I did not care to work, and at night the pressure on my chest was such that I thought I would choke, but I feel a hundred per cent better now, etc."

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OGDEN, UTAH: Mr. J. Collier, 146 W. 29th St., writes: "My wife was suffering with rheumatism in her hands. I purchased a tube of Mentho-Laxene Salve, from which she seems to have benefited very much. Your beautiful book, "Health and Beauty," is splendid. It ought to be in every home, as the contents I think would be the means of saving hundreds of dollars to the poor of this country. You have my congratulations, etc."

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CLEVELAND, OHIO: C. V. Mischelle, 2907 W. 25th St., writes: "Received the Health and Beauty Book and I must say it means more than money to me. For two weeks I suffered with neuralgia, toothache and great pain in my side. I took Su-thol tablets and the next day I felt like a new man. I could not imagine how such pain could disappear in one day. I recommend Su-thol tablets to be the best for such cases, etc."

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FORT WADSWORTH, LONG ISLAND, N. Y.: Mrs. Anna Franceschini, Quarters No. 34, writes: "Last March after taking two bottles of Mentho-Laxene my husband's bronchial cough stopped and the catarrh of the head was gone, from using Mentho-Laxene Salve. He just completed his third box of Cardiol tablets for rheumatism, and it has left him; while at the same time, it helped his knee a great deal. He has had "water" on te left knee for three years. Now he is going to take Cadomene for a general build up tonic. He is a Hospital Steward and recommends these medicines to all who seem to need them. Words are inadequate to praise these good medicines, etc."

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UTICA, NEW YORK: Mrs. Fred W. Lonvaine, 527 Tilden Ave., writes: "Just a few words of praise for Ever-grain Arbolone tablets which I started taking July 30th. At that time I weighed just 200 pounds. I now weigh 184 pounds. Have lost 16 pounds from July 30 to August 30. My indigestion has gone, also the shortness of breath and dizzy spells I formerly had, and I feel 100 per cent better in every way. I will gladly answer any letter that is sent to me by any person that feels at all skeptical, as I know what they have done in just one month for me."

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BROOKLYN, NEW YORK: Mr. Patrick Dunn, 163 Prospect St., writes: "I am writing this letter to let you know what I think of that wonderful medicine, Balmwort Tablets. They are great for kidney and bladder trouble, for after using two boxes I am entirely well. About six weeks ago a cold settled in the region of my kidneys and I suffered most intense pains—sharp, knife-like pains shot through my back until I could not sleep, eat or work. I also recommended Mentho-Laxene, as one of my children had a severe cough, and after trying numerous remedies without success, the above medicine entirely relieved her, which speaks volumes for Mentho-Laxene, etc."

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BIRTHS RECORDED.

BOYS.

R. and R. Mackey, 4349 Finney.
J. and H. Collins, 2634 Adams.
L. and I. Marshall, 1434A Farlin.
E. B. and V. Stitt, 1361 Union.
C. R. and F. Ekstrom, 2011 Victor.
F. M. and R. Ester, Webster Groves.
D. and R. Hecht, Centralia, Ill.
V. V. and M. Earls, 4320 Hunt.
G. and F. Rhoades, 3308 Pine.
N. and M. Rehnquist, 382 N. Taylor.
C. and N. Landry, 7044 Lindell.
A. P. and M. Ellerbrock, 3210A N. 19th.
H. and J. Jenkief, 806 Salisbury.
E. and C. Jefferson, 2903 Glasgow.
E. and M. Boni, 1127 N. Grand.
C. T. and C. Hawkins, 1815 N. Spring.
R. T. and R. Vogt, 3905 Wyoming
H. and M. Eckhardt, 6312 Idaho.
J. C. and M. Boatwright, 3925 Cote Brilliante.
W. H. and I. Duly, 6423 Wade.
E. G. and R. Eden, 4057 Page.
F. R. and A. Blum, 4259 Page.
G. and D. Moore, 3215 Osceola.
D. A. and A. Scott, 7118 Stanford.
J. H. and B. Coil, 3921 N. 25th.

GIRLS.

O. and F. Dismukes, 4044 West Belle.
J. H. and A. Adams, 2623A Sarah.
V. H. and M. Moss, 4254W Garfield.
J. and B. Wesley, 2933 Market.
H. and A. Bush, 3105 Caroline.
G. J. and C. Stander, 3820 S. Kingshighway.
T. and M. Reedy, 1220A N. Sarah.
J. P. and M. Brennan, 2311A Clark.
R. A. and D. Jean, 3819 Labadie.
C. A. and S. Quick, 3013 Walton.
C. E. and F. Perse, Kirkwood, Mo.
W. P. and C. Myers, Kinloch Park, Mo.
E. and M. Fleurzel, 3047 Wisconsin.
W. F. and L. Hoover, 4316 Forest Park.
J. and E. Laskins, 2023 Mullanphy.
J. E. and I. Beatty, 1610 Hideaway.
F. E. and A. Morrieson, Webster Groves.
J. and A. Baumann, 1421 Angelrodt.
J. and A. Provance, 2936 S. 2d.
A. and H. Ponolski, 4312A Nebraska.
T. and M. Ballard, 2427 Walnut.
J. and M. Dennis, 2536 Dunn.
W. E. and K. Wharton, 4478 West Belle.
A. and I. Keesee, 1205 S. 3d.
R. and L. Reuter, 7153 Mardell.
J. H. and L. Kuhlman, 4667 Evans.
E. E. and C. Short, Webster Groves.
C. J. and M. Reddiger, 6512 Joseth.
H. C. and C. Carmichael, 3218A Northland.
S. and H. Sonarel, 3990 N. Broadway.
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R. L. and S. Herman, 2017 Westgate.
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J. H. and F. Rhodes, 5536 Cates.
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Marguerite Politte, 1 month, 916 S. Eighth.
Beulah Walker, 43, 4252W Finney.
G. T. Roberts, 57, 1514 Valle.
T. de Rouse, 62, 115 N. Twelfth.
Lena Hamilton, 37, 2321 Chouteau.
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362 Births and 195 Deaths.

There were 362 births and 195 deaths reported in St. Louis last week. Forty persons died of organic heart disease, 24 of pneumonia, 16 of cancer, 15 of arterial troubles, 17 of Bright's disease and nine of tuberculosis. There were two suicides, two homicides and nine accidental deaths.

SPIRITUALISM

CHRIST CHURCH—Sunday Wednesday, 8 p. m. Monday, Thursday, 8. 1202A Wright.

SPIRITUAL CHURCH, Sunday, 8 p. m.; Wednesday, 2 and 8 p. m., 1808 S. 12th.

THEOMONISTIC SERVICES—Tuesday, Friday, 8 p. m. Mrs. Gassel, 3243 Keokuk.

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MEETINGS—Tuesday, 2 p. m.; Friday, Sunday, 8 p. m. 1903 Rutger st. Sunday, 2 p. m., 14th and Benton. Mrs. L. (c99)

DIVINE LOVE CHURCH—Sunday service, 2:30; Sunday evening, 7:30. Wednesday, 8 p. m. 4148 Delmar. All welcome. Rev. Carroll. (c99)

THEOMONISTIC, Sunday, Monday, Wednesday, 8 p. m., 2105 N. 12th; Sunday, Thursday, 8, Schaar Wakefield, 3837 Tarrant. (c99)

TEMPLE OF TRUTH—Marcus and Easton, 8 p. m., "Address on Spiritual Gifts," "Messages and Healing." Mrs. Caswell. (c)

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BATEMAN—En day, Dec. 17, of W. L. Bateman, sister of Mrs. tle Jenks, W. C. Funeral from avenue, Sunday Cemetery.

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FERRITER Dec. 18, dear mother and Julia F Funeral fr 2331 North 22 at 8:30 Church. In

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Arthur Weinmann—Flora Muench.
Arthur J. Rodgers—Foy M. Whited.
Edward Randolph—Mrs. May Minlea.
Otto Moecke—Viola Wolff.
Paula S. Johnston—Eleanor S. Kraft.
Aurora Mica—Anna Shejbal.
William Schmidt Jr.—Genevieve M. Bruer.
Otto F. Schneider—Ellen P. Vanbiber.
Charles D. Gilsdorf—Margaret Cox.
James Burke—Lettie M. Ousy.
Harry P. Bleckmann Jr.—Mrs. Mary Tumbach.
Andrew J. Kehoe—Marie C. Hatton.
Chas. A. Enderle—Essie A. Meinert.
Ollie S. Ward—Ruby Mae Patton.
Willard Short—Nettie White.
Frank Bridgeford—Johnnie Holt.
Harry W. Schaning—Elsie Shanks.
Elmon G. Myers—Mrs. Gertrude S. Breen.
Ernest England—Vista Bonney.
George Grecnstreet—Antionette Wallece.
Walter L. Sanderson—Eileen Fitzsimmons.
Joseph W. Booth—Katherine M. Delaney.
Charlie Lucious, Prospect Hill—Mrs. Cora Lucious, St. Louis.
Lester R. Henderson, Waterloo, Ia.—Mrs. Lillian Gilles, Waterloo, Ia.
George M. Hammond, St. Louis—Exie McLuxemburg.
Philip Mader, Belleville—Emma VanOsdale, Belleville.
John Edward Scowscroft, St. Louis—Rose Provaznik, Edwardsville, Ill.

BIRTHS RECORDED.

BOYS.

R. and R. Mackey, 4349 Finney.
J. and H. Collins, 4439A Arlington.
M. and M. Marshall, 4439A Arlington.
K. B. and V. Stitt, 1363 Union.
C. B. and F. Eltzmin, 3631 Victor.
F. M. and R. Etter, Webster Groves.
D. and R. Hecht, Centralia, Ill.
V. V. and M. Hardy, 6320 Hunt.
G. and H. Rhoades, 3508 Pine.
N. and M. Rehnquist, 7044 Lindell.
C. and M. Ellerbrock, 3210A N. 19th.
J. and F. Imnkief, 808 Salisbury.
W. and J. Jeffers, 2602A Glasgow.
W. and M. Boni, 1127 N. Grand.
C. T. and C. Hawkins, 915 N. Spring.
R. and R. Vert, 3905 Wyoming.
M. and M. Eckhardt, 6312 Idaho.
J. C. and M. Boatright, 3904 Coto Brillante.
W. H. and I. Daly, 6423 Wade.
R. G. and M. Moore, 4057 Page.
F. R. and A. Blum, 4259 Page.
G. and D. Moore, 3215 Dickson.
R. A. and E. Scott, 7118 Stanford.
J. H. and B. Coil, 3921 N. 20th.

GIRLS.

P. and F. Dismukes, 4044 West Belle.
J. H. and A. Adams, 2624A Scott.
J. H. and M. Moss, 4024W Garfield.
R. and A. Weakley, 2933 Market.
R. and A. Bush, 3105 Carolina.
J. and C. Standley, 2826 S. Kingshighway.
T. and M. Reedy, 1220A N. Sarah.
J. and M. Breman, 2311A Clark.
R. A. and D. Jean, 3819 Labadie.
C. A. and S. Quick, 3910 Walsh.
J. and F. Perez, Kirkwood, Mo.
W. P. and C. Myers, Kinloch Park, Mo.
J. and M. Hoover, Wisconsin.
W. B. and L. Hoover, 4516 Forest Park.
J. and E. Laskins, 2023 Miami.
J. and I. Beach, 2015 Ridgeway.
F. E. and A. Burleson, Webster Groves.
J. and A. Baumann, 2030 S. 23d.
J. and E. Provence, 2030 S. 23d.
A. and H. Ponolski, 4312A Nebraska.
J. and W. Ballard, 3909 Arnold.
M. and M. Dendel, 3526 Lawton.
W. E. and K. Wharton, 4478 West Belle.
J. and M. Reed, 3100 S. 18th.
J. and I. Spencer, 7153 Mardell.
J. H. and L. Kuhlman, 4067 Evans.
J. and F. Shore, Webster Groves.
C. F. and M. Reidinger, 6512 Joseth.
R. C. and C. Carmichael, 4142 W. Lee Ave.
J. and A. Somerville, 3609 N. Broadway.
F. and A. Jankowski, Edgemont Station.
R. H. and S. Hermann, 707 Westgate.
A. F. and A. Gehman, 3902 Natural Bridge.
J. and E. Cates, Cates.
R. S. and I. Greenstone, 3582 Pershing.
J. and H. Ricciotti, 3839A Ohio.
K. C. and A. Hoffman, 219 Lami.

BURIAL PERMITS.

Barbara Jageman, 80, 4354 Olive.
C. Russell, 62, 5800 Arsenal.
V. Henneker, 64, 3528A Gravois.
Mary Marshall, 44, 4139A Flad.
Chaney Gaither, 80, 3957 Finney.
E. W. Schumacher, 64, 3564A Romaine.
Fr. de Blase, 76, 5577 Manchester.
C. F. Probst, 3, 4022 N. Twenty-second.
C. Cohn, 46, 726 Barlette.
Martha Cox, 83, 2716 N. Twenty-first.
Anna Longefner, 49, 2862 Easton.
Mary Hoffmann, 76, 1016 S. Eighth.
Burial Walker, 43, 4252W Finney.
O. F. Roberts, 37, 1514 Valle.
Mrs. Rose Lee, 58, 1007 Twelfth.
Lena Hamilton, 37, 2321 Chouteau.
R. O'Malon, 59, housebout.

962 Births and 195 Deaths.

There were 362 births and 195 deaths reported in St. Louis last week. Forty persons died of organic heart disease, 24 of pneumonia, 16 of cancer, 15 of arterial trouble, 17 of Bright's disease and nine of tuberculosis. There were two suicides, two homicides and nine accidental deaths.

SPIRITUALISM

CHURCH OF CHRIST — Universal Brotherhood, Sunday services, 2:30 and 7:30 p. m.; lecture and messages, Mrs. K. F. Hary, pastor; all welcome. 3634 Juniata. (c99)

FIRST SPIRITUALIST ORGANIZATION, NEW THOUGHT CENTER—1232 Mc-Pherson av. nue. Services Tuesday, 2 o'clock, and Thursday evenings, Mrs. Assmann.

TEMPLE LIGHT CENTER—Meetings Sunday evenings at 1636 Ohio avenue, Mrs. Detloff-Woodring.

HARMONY CENTER—Eagle's Hall, Jefferson and Lafayette, Sunday evening. Sealed questions answered. Miss McCann; Mrs. Adler.

CONSTRUCTIVE THOUGHT CENTER—All message service at Eagles' Hall, Jefferson and Lafayette, Tuesdays and Thursdays, 8 p. m. William Holley Hill.

SUNSHINE CENTER—14th and Benton, third floor. Services Wednesdays, 2 p. m. Everybody welcome. Mrs. Merfield.

UNIVERSAL SPIRITUALIST CENTER—3116A Easton. Sundays and Thursdays, 8 p. m.; Wednesdays, 2 p. m. Mrs. Schneider.

SPIRITUAL UNITY CENTER—2107 Olive avenue. Holds services Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Gerholdt.

LOVE LIGHT CENTER, 4142 W. Lee Ave.—Services Sunday, Tuesday and Friday evenings. Mrs. Rasche.

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BAUER—Entered into rest, suddenly, on Friday, Dec. 19, 1924, at 10:45 a. m., Andrew Bauer of 2926 California avenue, beloved husband of Anna Bauer (nee Oetting), stepfather of Wm. and Herbert Kirchner, and our dear brother-in-law, at the age of 68 years.

Funeral on Monday, Dec. 22, at 3:00 p. m., from Concordia Church, chapel, 2623 Cherokee street, to St. Matthew's Cemetery. (c7)

BIRMINGHAM—Suddenly, Monday, Dec. 15, 1924, at 2 p. m., John Patrick Birmingham, beloved husband of Louise Birmingham (nee Smith), loving father of Mrs. Maurice Katherine and Margaret John, Maurice, Katherine and Margaret John, Birmingham and Mrs. A. W. Whitney, Mrs. Charles Risenlieb and Mrs. Thomas Hough, dear brother of Mrs. Mary Reilly, dear grandfather and father-in-law.

Our dear grandfather and father-in-law.

Funeral from the family residence, 4524 Delmar boulevard, Tuesday morning. Dec. Scott avenue, on Tuesday morning, Dec. 23, at 8:30 o'clock, to St. Cronan's Church. Interment in Memorial Park Cemetery. Deceased was a member of the International Union of Steam and Operating Engineers, Local No. 313, and Holy Name Society of St. Cronan's Church. Please omit flowers.

BOYLE—At his residence, 4233 Maryland avenue, on Friday, Dec. 19, 1924, at 4:45 p. m., Michael Boyle, beloved brother of Robert, John and Edward Boyle and Mrs. Ellis McAlone.

Remains will be taken from Arthur J. Donnelly's parlors, 3846 Lindell boulevard, Monday, at 10 o'clock, to Union Station. Interment at Springfield, Ill.

Springfield (Ill.) papers please copy. (c7)

BRUDESKOETTER—Entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 19, 1924, at 3:40 a. m., Henry Brudeskoetter, beloved husband of Louise Brudeskoetter (nee Breitmann), dear father of Mrs. William Weidanz, Mrs. Albert Obermeyer, Mrs. Edward Lunn, Mrs. Albert Sirenbeel, Mrs. Hubert Selling, William A. and Harry A. Brudeskoetter, our dear father-in-law, grandfather, great-grandfather and brother, at the age of 71 years.

Funeral Sunday at 2:30 p. m. from the Beiderwieden chapel, 1936 St. Louis avenue, to Bellefontaine Cemetery. New York papers please copy.

BRODMAG—Entered into rest Saturday, Dec. 20, 1924, Anna Brodhag, beloved wife of the late Louis Brodhag, dear mother and aunt, in her seventy-sister-in-law and aunt, in her seventy-eighth year.

Funeral from St. Vincent's Hospital, Jefferson and Lafayette, Monday morning. Belleville, Ill., at 8 o'clock Monday morning.

BROWNER—On Thursday, Dec. 18, 1924, at 4:30 a. m., Jerome Browner, beloved son of the late Jerry and Jane Browner, dear brother of Richard, James, Lawrence, Albert and Sidney Browner, Mary E. Ponger and Sallina Hoffman (nee Browner), and our dear brother-in-law and uncle, aged 43 years.

Funeral from Wacker-Heiderle funeral parlors, 2333 South Broadway, Sunday, Dec. 21, at 1 p. m., to St. Agatha Church, thence to New St. Marcus Cemetery. (c7)

BUTZOW—Entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 19, 1924, at 4:55 a. m., Ray O. Butzow, beloved son of Armond and I. Butzow, beloved son of Armond and I. Butzow, beloved son of Armond and Mildred Butzow, dear brother of Mrs. H. Uhl and Mrs. Oscar Uhl and Mrs. H. Butzow, great-grandson of Mrs. A. Thomas Johnsen, nephew of Mrs. Fredericka Uhl, at the age of 8 years.

Can be seen at residence, 4318 Penrose street, until Monday, Dec. 22, at 10 a. m., Services same day at Ziegenbein Bros. chapel, 2623 Cherokee street, at 1:30 p. m., to New St. Marcus' Cemetery. (c7)

CARTER—On Saturday, Dec. 20, 1924, at 4:15 p. m., Mary Louise Carter, beloved widow of Thomas Jefferson Carter, mother of Mrs. L. Ray Carter, Roy Carter and Mrs. John W. Higgins.

Funeral from residence, 5 Portland place, Monday, Dec. 22, at 2:30 p. m.

DILLON—On Saturday, Dec. 20, 1924, at 3:20 p. m., Thomas F. Dillon, beloved husband of Emma Wittich Dillon, dear father of Elizabeth V. Dillon.

Funeral from the family residence, 4633 Natural Bridge road, on Tuesday morning, Dec. 23, at 9:30 o'clock, to St. Engelbert's Church. Interment in Calvary Cemetery. Please omit flowers.

FERRITER—Entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 19, 1924, at 3 p. m., Ellen Ferriter, dear mother of Mary O'Leary, Nellie M. and Julia E. Ferriter.

Funeral will take place from residence, 2331 North Market street, on Monday, Dec. 22, at 8:30 a. m., to the Sacred Heart Church. Interment in Calvary Cemetery.

DEATHS

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Funeral from Arthur J. Donnelly, parlors, 3846 Lindell boulevard, on Monday, Dec. 22, at 7:30 a. m., to Holy Redeemer Church, Webster Groves. Interment in Calvary Cemetery. (c)

GAYDOS—On Friday, Dec. 19, 1924, at 5 a. m., Michael D. Gaydos Jr., dearly beloved son of Michael and Elizabeth Gaydos (nee Schacklin, and our darling grandson and nephew, age 3 months.

Funeral from residence, 3652A Louisiana avenue, Sunday, Dec. 21, at 2 p. m., to New St. Marcus' Cemetery.

GLEASON—Entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 19, 1924, at 1:25 a. m., Thomas E. Gleason, dear brother of Mrs. Mary Mahon and Mrs. Theresa Conway (nee Gleason) and the late Mrs. Margaret Sullivan and Mrs. T. J. McHale (nee Gleason) of Memphis, Tenn., and our dear uncle.

Funeral from the residence of his sister, Mrs. Theresa Conway, 1301 Blackstone avenue, on Monday morning, Dec. 22, at 8:30 o'clock, to St. Rose's Church. Interment in Calvary Cemetery. (c7)

GRANNEMANN—Entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 19, 1924, at 7:30 a. m., Louis Grannemann, beloved husband of the late Louise Grannemann (nee Wohlbrinck), dear father of Mrs. Minnie Raedle and Oliver Grannemann, and our dear father-in-law, grandfather, aged 73 years.

Funeral from the Leidner chapel, 6021 St. Louis avenue, Monday, Dec. 22, at 1:30 p. m., to St. Peters' Cemetery. (c7)

GUELKER—Entered into rest, Thursday, Dec. 18, 1924, at 5:15 p. m. Theodore H. Guelker, dearly beloved husband of Bernadine Guelker (nee Kramer), dear father of Theodore H., Jr., William H. and Otto F. Guelker, Mrs. Peter Ostmann, Mrs. Albert Koch and Mrs. Bernard Lamers, dear brother of Mrs. Christine Witte and Herman Guelker, dear father-in-law, grandfather and uncle, in his sixty-ninth year.

Funeral from family residence, 2820 Shenandoah avenue, Monday, Dec. 22, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Francis de Sales Church, thence to Interment in Holy Family Catholic Cemetery. Deceased was a member of St. Nicholas' Benevolent Society and Holy Name Society of St. Francis de Sales' Benevolent Society and St. Vincent de Paul Orphans' Society. (c7)

HAFFNER—Entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 19, 1924, at 5 p. m., Mary Haffner, our dear friend, age 51 years.

Funeral from the Leidner chapel, 6021 St. Louis avenue, Monday, Dec. 22, at 1:30 p. m., to Valhalla Cemetery. (c)

HEGADORN—Geneva Hegadorn, wife of Milton and mother of James Hegadorn.

Body will remain at the undertaking Parlors of Monday evening, 2836 Easton.

HEROLD—Entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 19, 1924, at 11:45 a. m., Mathilda Herold, age 72 years, dear mother of Walter, William and Arthur Herold, dear sister of John B. and Henry Volz, our dear mother-in-law, grandmother and aunt.

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ANSWERS TO QUERIES

The Post-Dispatch reserves the right to reject any query. Personal and telephone calls, or answers by mail, cannot be given attention, except letters on medical questions of undoubted sincerity, when accompanied by stamped addressed envelope.

H. H. C.—Consult formula books at the Public Library regarding the paints in question.

CURIOUS.—Inquire of the jewelry or department stores regarding the wedding announcements.

J. S. D.—Your question is not clear; write again, being more specific.

G. S. R.—The first Nelson-Gans prize fight was promoted by Tex Rickard.

J. P. G.—Inquire of the local Civil Service Board, Third and Olive streets, regarding the Government position.

FARMER BOY. — Write to the State Highway Commission, State House, Springfield, Ill., for the information desired.

ED. S.—Inquire of the local dry goods stores regarding the Southern cotton mills that make the article in question.

JEFFERSON BARRACKS.—Inquire at the Board of Health, Municipal Courts Building, regarding the analyzing of honey.

L. S. H.—Following is the Greek alphabet: Alpha, Beta, Gamma, Delta, Epsilon (Digamma), Zeta, Eta, Theta, Iota, Kappa, Lambda, Mu, Nu, Xi, Omicron, Pi (Koppa), Rho, Sigma, Tau, U-psilon, Phi, Chi, Psi, Omega.

O. K. H. — The Sahara is the largest continuous desert on the earth's surface. Extending east and west between the Atlantic Ocean and the Red Sea and north and south between the Sudan and the Mediterranean countries, whose southern borders curve into it, it therefore embraces an area of 3,510,000 square miles, being nearly as large as the European mainland.

LIZE.—White spots on furniture, left by hot water or hot dishes, or by acids, are one of the common blemishes of polished and oiled woods. Try, first, wood alcohol, rubbing it in well. Should a white mark remain, wet a bit of flannel with a bit of camphorated oil and rub the spot faithfully with it until it is absorbed. Then cover the spot with olive oil, leaving it on all night. In the morning rub the oil well in. This will remove scratches and slight indentations. Use asbestos mats in future under hot dishes and plates. An equal mixture of turpentine and linseed oil will remove white marks on furniture caused by water.

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MEDICAL QUESTIONS.

Health and sanitation questions of public interest only will be considered. Diagnosis or treatment of individual cases will not be given.

35-YEAR P.-D. READER.—Bulgaria bacillus tablets are used for making butter milk.

P.-D. READER.—Nausea is often an accompanying symptom of such a condition which clears up in due time after a little food is taken before arising.

BESSIE. — First be physically examined. The loss of 10 pounds in one month, unless excessively overweight, is suggestive of some constitutional trouble present which may need prompt attention. If no derangement is found, eat freely of fruits, sugars and starchy foods. Take necessary exercise and get all possible sleep. Ten drops of tincture chloride of iron in water after meals, take only through a glass tube, may be of benefit.

I THANK YOU.—Itch is a parasitic infection of the skin by the itch mite. It is as a rule readily amenable to treatment carefully and conscientiously carried out, with care to the prevention of reinfection, which readily occurs. Proceed as follows: (1) Provide clean underclothing and clean bed-clothing and clean night clothing which is to be used and not changed until the completion of the treatment. Then all of the above mentioned clothing must be again replaced by clean clothing. That used during the treatment must be removed and well boiled in future under hot dishes and plates. An equal mixture of turpentine and linseed oil will remove white marks on furniture caused by water.

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NICHOLAS—Entered into rest, Friday, Dec. 19, 1924, at 4:30 p. m., Amanda Nicholas (nee Ingold), dear mother of Joseph Nicholas, Mrs. Paul Nicholas, beloved mother of Joseph Jr., Amanda Clemens, and Elsie Lally, dear mother-in-law, grandmother, sister, sister-in-law and aunt, at the age of 59 years.

Funeral from her late home, 4107 Clarence avenue, on Monday, Dec. 22, at 9:30 a. m., to Holy Rosary Church. Deceased was a member of De Andreis Council No. 859, K. of C., and of the Holy Rosary parish.

PACKER—On Thursday, Dec. 18, 1924, Selina Packer (nee Medgrew), dearly beloved wife of Viola Iowa Packer, beloved great-grandmother of Albert Packer, great-grandmother of Albert Packer, Jr., and sister-in-law of Mrs. Ella Medgrew Weedings, and our dear sister and sister-in-law, in her eighty-first year.

Funeral from the Schumacher funeral home, 3013 Meramec street, Monday, Dec. 22, at 2 p. m., to New St. Marcus' Cemetery. (c7)

PAPCM—On Saturday, Dec. 20, 1924, at 9:40 a. m., Henry N. Papum, widow of Albert E. Papum, mother of Edw. C. Papum of St. Louis, Albert E. Papum of Pacific, Mo., and Mrs. A. H. Guy of Indianapolis, sister of Mariam K. and Carrie Odell Davis.

Notice of funeral.

PLUME—Entered into rest, Friday, Dec. 19, 1924, at 3 p. m., Charles William Plume, dearly beloved husband of Mary K. Plume (nee Dickes), dear father of William, Clara Keithly, Alvina Theis, Eugene and Charles Plume and Alvin E. Plume, our dear grandfather, father-in-law, brother and brother-in-law, aged 72 years.

Funeral Monday at 8:30 a. m. from family residence, 401 Illasa avenue, to Mount Carmel Church. Thence to Calvary Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited. Carlyle and Breese (Ill.) papers please copy. (c7)

PUDWITR—Entered into rest, after a brief illness, on Thursday, Dec. 18, 1924, at 5:35 p. m., Emma C. Pudiwitr (nee Ruesing), dearly beloved wife of Edward Pudiwitr, dear mother of Mildred Pudiwitr, dear daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ruesing, dear sister of Mrs. Ruesing, dear sister-in-law, aunt and niece.

Funeral from the home of her parents, 6009 Chouteau avenue, Sunday, Dec. 21, at 2 p. m. Interment in Memorial Park Cemetery. (c7)

RABUNG—Entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 19, 1924, at 3:30 p. m., Nettie Rabung (nee Obermier), beloved wife of Rabung, and our dear sister, sister-in-law and aunt, age 54 years.

Funeral from the Leidner chapel, Monday, Dec. 22, at 3 p. m. to Bethania Cemetery.

Detroit (Mich.) papers please copy. (c7)

During 1923 the Post-Dispatch printed 17,784 Lost and Found "Wants" — More paid ads than the THREE other St. Louis newspapers combined.

DEATHS

RICHARD—Suddenly, on Thursday, Dec. 18, 1924, William J. Richard, dear brother of Walter and Harry Richard, and our dear brother-in-law.

Funeral from E. J. Shnur's funeral parlors, 2652 Chouteau avenue, on Monday, Dec. 22, at 10 a. m. Interment in Memorial Park Cemetery. (c)

SASHNA—Entered into rest on Thursday, Dec. 18, 1924, at 5 a. m., Sashna Nick, widow of Bruno Sashna of 3545 Arsenal street, beloved mother of Curt W. and Wilhelmina Sashna, Mrs. Elsie Peterson, Mrs. Margaret Demethrion and Mrs. Lonnye Fallon and our dear mother-in-law.

Funeral from Hoerr & Schmitt parlors, 3732 South Grand boulevard, Monday, Dec. 22, at 2 p. m., to New St. Marcus' Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Missouri Lodge No. 20, O. of M. P. (c90) council.

SCHUPP-CREEDON—John S., infant son of Alvin C. and Margaret Creedon Schupp, died Dec. 19, 1924, at 8:30 p. m., 2400 Iowa, to Calvary Cemetery.

SHAMPAIGN—Sam Shampaign, Saturday, Dec. 20, 1924. Mary Elizabeth Shampaign, widow of Octave Shampaign of Cuba, Mo., mother of Mrs. Arsenal Charles Shampaign, Mrs. Effie Toettcher, Mrs. Julia Hagan, Mrs. Belle Hargett and our dear grandmother.

Funeral from residence of her daughter, Mrs. William Hargett, 5079 North Kings highway, Tuesday, Dec. 23, at 3 p. m. (c)

TANKINS—Entered into rest on Saturday, Dec. 20, 1924, at 7:30 p. m., Mary Tankins (nee Green), aged 47 years, of 4344 Cook avenue, beloved wife of Archie Tankins, dear mother of A. A. Tankins Jr. and George Tankins, sister of Edward and William Green.

Funeral services at Antioch Baptist Church, Goode and North Market streets, Tuesday, Dec. 23, at 2 p. m. Interment Washington Park Cemetery.

VERDIN—James Harris Verdin, husband of Nellie Cambron Verdin, son of Josephine Verdin and the late Gerard M. Verdin, on Dec. 18, 1924, at Vananda, Mont.

Burial in Montana

MEMBERS of Holy Name Society of Holy Rosary Parish will meet after Church Sunday, Dec. 21, at 3 p. m., and proceed in a body to the home of our deceased member. Charter Oak Service.
J. VINCENT LEONARD, President. (c7)

IN MEMORIAM

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We desire herewith to express our sincere thanks to all our relatives and friends for their kindness shown us in our sad bereavement in the loss of our dear husband, father and brother, Herman Schuna, for the beautiful floral offerings and especially Rev. Father O'Brien of St. Teresa's Church, her brother-in-law, Louis Schuna, and William E. Schuna, who departed this life December 31st, 1919.

The flowers we laid upon their graves will wither and decay,
But our love for them who sleep beneath
Will never fade away.

Sadly missed by
MARTHA, FATHER AND SISTER.

In

250 MEN, WOMEN, BOYS AND GIRLS are seeking employment—PUT THEM TO WORK.

LOST AND FOUND

Lost

BAG—Lost, brown leather, taken by youth on Cass-Sarah bus; return bag, keys and glasses, keep money. Roe School, Prather and Mitchell. (c)

BEADED PURSE—Lost; Cherokee car, Friday morning, containing about $7.50. Call Riverside 3273M. Reward. (c)

BLACK CANTINE CASE—Lost: Saturday on Olive-Sarah and

HELP WANTED—MEN, BOYS

BAKER—Good; night work. Box R-83, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BAKER—Must be experienced; night work; $40 per week. Don't write if you are afraid of work. John Bell Thornburgh, 3003 N. Broadway. (c)

BATTERY MAN—Must be experienced; state age, salary, reference. Box A-34, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BELL CLERK—About 25 years old, by hardware jobbing and steam supply house; must be someone who has had experience, this line and who is familiar with nuts, bolts, discounts, etc. Box A-420, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BLACKSMITH AND HORSESHOER—Must have electrical equipped truck shop; $5 per day; steady work; plenty of stock and tools to work with. 226 S. Church st., Jonesboro, Ark. (c)

BLACKSMITH AND SHOER—First-class; some woodwork; town of 7000; class school; Ajax Welding and Cutting Co., 2913 N. Broadway. (c)

BOYS—With bicycles; colored; or white; to deliver fig drug store. 6335 Delmar.

BOY—Over 17 to work in grocery store in neighborhood evenings. 1 Lafayette Bates.

BOY—To work in drug store 2 nights a week and Sunday. Call or phone Sunday. Carter and Red Bud.

BOY—16 years, for office; some high school education preferred; good opportunity for a live, energetic boy. Apply Room 201, 2012 Washington av. The Emerson Electric Co.

BOY—For office work and errands; experienced, grammar school graduate; over 18 years of age; chance for advancement. Apply at once. Personnel Dept., M. Samuel Products Co., 2117 Franklin. (c)

BOY—For office work with wholesale grocery house for advancement; answer in own handwriting giving age, education, experience, salary expected. Box A-417, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BOY—16 years, for office in large manufacturing company; high school education preferred; good opportunity for a live, energetic boy; apply state age, experience, salary and salary received. Box W-349, Post-Dispatch. (c)

CABINET MAKER AND WOODWORKER—First-class, for good chance for advancement; answer in own handwriting giving age, education, experience, salary expected. Box A-418, Post-Dispatch. (c)

CHAUFFEUR—White, drive Federal truck; must know south deliveries; give reference and telephone number. Box P-5, Post-Dispatch (c)

CHIPPERS — Experienced on side frames and bolsters. Steady work. Open shop. AMERICAN STEEL FOUNDRY, Granite City, Ill. (c2)

CLERK—Young man, 16 to 18 years, who can use typewriter; to assist in office of firm employs 8 to 10 building trade men; must be willing to learn a good trade. Box R-250, Post-Dispatch. (c)

COFFEE MAN—House-to-house; permanent position for a producer. 1627 Menard st. (c)

COLLECTORS—Health and accident insurance, experienced; new contract; Monday at 8 o'clock. 203 Olivia Bldg., Grand and Windsor. (c)

COOK—Colored, male, all round man. 6372 Delmar.

COOK—For potato chips and salted peanuts; must be A1. Victor 3190J. (c)

COOK—Middle-aged white, for merchants' lunch. 3315 Natural Bridge. Mac's Dog Drop Inn.

COOPER—One experienced in light barrel work; steady employment. Best Cuvee Co., 429 W. Davis st. (c)

COST CLERK—Manufacturing concern centrally located; reply in own handwriting, experience in detail, age, education and salary to start. Box A-419, Post-Dispatch. (c)

CYCLA ATTENDER—Experienced. Semler Steel Chatting Co., 209 E. Gurney. (c)

CUTTERS—Lift and top lift. 811 N. 10th.

CUTTER—Make himself, generally useful. Cerf Bros. Bag Co., 217 Elm. (c)

CUTTER—Must be able to mark own lay and operate cutting machine. Ames Jacket Co., 922 Pine st. (c)

CUTTER—Experienced on ladies' dresses; good position for proper party. La Vogue Waist and Dress Co., 905 Washington, 5th floor. (c)

CUTTER—Experienced on SKIRT CO., 905 Washington.

Dresses. HIRSHFIELD

DISHWASHER—White. Call Monday morning. Garrison av.

DRAFTSMEN—By local automobile manufacturer; must be experienced on chassis layout and detail work; give references, experience, etc. Box R-3, Post-Dispatch.

DRAFTSMAN

Must be able to make full size details and bill work into shop; state age, experience, salary expected; send sample of handwriting; answers strictly confidential. NORTH ST. LOUIS PLANING MILL CO., 4419 Natural Bridge and Carter. (c)

DRUGGIST—Registered pharmacist; elderly preferred; easy hours and work. Moderate salary. Box R-268, Post-Dispatch.

ELECTRICIAN—Call Forest 4177, Sunday.

ENGINEER—Licensed. Enterprise Cleaning Co., 4229W Easton. (c)

ERRAND BOY—Druch Electrotype Co., 323 Locust, 4th floor.

FEED RIVERS—Apply Monday morning, 812 S. 3d st.

FOREMAN—With knowledge of metal stamping machinery; also die making. Box P-32, Post-Dispatch. (c)

RETAIL GROCER CLERK

If you know the grocery business and think you can sell groceries, an opportunity is open to connect yourself with one of the leading wholesale grocers of St. Louis. Only those who are ambitious and wish to get somewhere need apply. We have well offering an opportunity to such men to greatly improve their earning capacity. Tell us about yourself, your age and experience and why you think you can sell groceries.

Box W-372, Post-Dispatch.

HAMBONER—And all around man. Apply 4011 Garfield. (c)

HAND SCREW MACHINE OPERATOR—Apply 609 Chouteau. (c)

HARDWOOD CHOPPERS—Only experienced need apply. 3884 Manchester. (c)

HORSESHOER—Apply Sunday a. m. 5364 Easton.

IRON FINISHERS—Steady work for ornamental iron finishers on stair work, elevator inclosures, railings and ornamental iron. Lasar Mfg. Co., 1313 N. 16th. (c)

JANITOR—White man and wife only, for apartment building; must understand handling boilers. Box P-86, Post-Dis. (c)

EXPERIENCED JANITOR

Married colored man for high class apartments; must live on premises. Although knowledge of downdraft boilers not necessary. Apply at 1422 Syndicate Trust Bldg., references required. (c)

JOB PRESS FEEDER—With some experience; permanent position. Box K-123, Post-Dispatch. (c)

JOB PRESS FEEDER—Apply Gast Bank Note Co., 21st and Morgan st.

KNAGG MOTOR MECHANIC—Call Park-view 2699W.

LABORER—Reliable, steady, sober man, 45 years, to work at night, 5 p. m. to 12 p. m. Box P-67, Post-Dispatch. (c)

LABORERS—For ground work. St. Charles Rock Road and Lucas and Hunt Road. (c)

LAYOFF AND DADO MAN

For frame department. Apply Monday before noon, at 4375 Penrose av. or Monday evening at 3933 Grand and Carter. (c)

NORTH ST. LOUIS PLANING MILL CO.

LUMBER MEASURER—And grader, one experienced in woodworking machine; preferred, but essential; male wages required. Box P-24, Post-Dis.

MAINTENANCE MAN—Must understand motors, elevators, pipefitting and general upkeep of machinery; state age, experience and salary expected; where employed last 5 years. Box A-416, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MAN—To tend furnace and help in restaurant kitchen. 2700 N. Vandeventer.

MAN—To drive Ford for light delivery. Grand 5240.

MAN—Work about place and furnace. Box K-168, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MAN—White; to care for furnace. 3738 Olive.

MAN—Young, quick and accurate at figures, for 3 or 4 weeks inventory work; state age and experience. Box S-5, P.-D.

MAN—For cafeteria and soda fountain; middle aged; good references. Box K-116, Post-Dis.

MAN—Young, 17 to 19 years old, for timekeeping and clerical work; must operate typewriter. Box P-81, P.-D. (c2)

700 MEN AND BOYS WANTED—Is the position you seek advertised in these columns today?

HELP WANTED—MEN, BOYS

MAN—To use all kinds of machine work on wire frames. Wabash 130.

MAN AND WIFE—For farm; husband, early wife, raise poultry on shares; everything furnished; bring recommendations. 5603 S. Broadway. (c7)

MAN—To drive truck, pick up a milk throughout city; must be able to drive all makes; $25 to start. Call 816 S. Taylor ready to work, 6 o'clock. (c)

MAN—Young, for general maintenance; must be willing to work and make himself generally useful; must have pipefitting experience; $30 per hour. Box P-88, P.-D. (c)

MAN—Married preferred, as office manager and junior executive; credit experience very essential; state age, experience, reference and salary expected. Box A-421, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MAN—High-grade, experienced, to sell confections and specialty candy in burlesque theater; must be experienced hustler; steady work, good pay. Talbot Mfg. Co., 1213 Chestnut st. (c)

HIGH-CLASS MAN WANTED—Representative of luncheon clubs; college and preparatory; unusual opportunity; extensive; unlimited promotion. Executive Dept., 1704 Railway Exch. Bldg.

MAN—One of the largest and oldest life insurance companies in West End territory; debit and ordinary; must be over 25 years and married; state letter of connection and age. Box P-25, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MAN—Automobile body-woodwork superintendent; applicant must have had successful experience in body organization and must be thoroughly familiar with modern equipment and methods of designing, making and using time saving forms, jigs and fixtures; must show success in securing the cooperation of subforemen and workmen in securing quantity and quality production and low manufacturing cost. Give full information in reply and state salary desired. Box 2414, Post-Dispatch.

MANAGER—For men's and women's credit clothing store; must be thoroughly experienced and understand every detail of the credit business; state age, experience and salary expected; salary and commission; state complete details in first letter; replies treated strictly confidential. Box A-234, Post-Dispatch. (c)

A REAL MANAGER WANTED

Large corporation seeks connection with high-grade man of real selling experience to manage branches always from St. Louis. Requires organization ability, indefatigable tenacity and high character for personal sales and a good over-writing on other men's sales equipped to train, motivate and supervise constant opportunity to man selected. Give full details and phone number in letter. Box P-29, P.-D. (c)

MEAT CUTTERS' ASSISTANT—Permanent. 954 Goodfellow.

MEN—To operate cross cut saws. Commercial Auto Body Co., 4401 S. Jefferson av.

MEN—Young and middle-aged, for railroad news service, 22 S. 18th st. (c1)

MEN—Young and middle-aged, to run on trains; long runs. 2045 Walnut. (c)

MEN—To build radio sets in spare time. Call after 6 p. m., 5261 Kaufman Blvd., Wheats, Kan. (c99)

MEN—An established business needs 2 or 3 men of at least high school education, capable of meeting business men; moderate salary to start, with increases as development warrants; prefer men of about 30 years; state fully your experience. Box P-259, P.-D. (c)

MEN AND BOYS—That want to learn the new spray system of painting automobiles; we can teach you in 5 days or one day or eight days, for a small fee; when finished your wage of $10 per day is assured; come in and see us. Apply 320 to 5, Mr. Chatham, 539 Arcade Bldg. (c2)

MOONSHAKER—Call at once; bring your own bottle. (c)

MEN PAINTERS—Good letter and pinstriped men on bulletins; men with auto must make good money. J. D. Mackay, 830 Wade St., Cincinnati, O.

MEN—18 to 50, for sales work in electric appliance business; must be neat-appearing and able to furnish good references; the man chosen will be given executive position and will be paid on his qualified average experience and ability; investment required; men with cars preferred. Apply manager, 2708 Lucas.

MEN WANTED IN INTERSTATE AND EXPORT FREIGHT TRAFFIC DEPARTMENTS

We want to get in touch with 6 men now steadily employed and ambitious for more responsible work and better pay, who wish to qualify for positions in new and important work in traffic and shipping departments, including interstate, through routing for foreign and domestic shipping; unless excellent; unlimited chance for advancement; those who have had some knowledge of or shipping experience will help but a not necessary; and knowledge of this line not essential; we train those we select. This is no employment agency; but a real chance for a man with ambition. Send us your name, present employment, education (common school at least) and telephone. Each application will be given personal attention and held strictly confidential. Box K-276, Post-Dispatch.

MOULDER HAND—Experienced in plaster mill. Box R-271 Post-Dis.

MOULDER HANDS

For woodworking machinery; first-class men only; apply give telephone number. Box R-101, Post-Dis.

OFFICE BOY—16 years old, grammar school graduate; good chance for bright, clean boy. Apply Lowell Bleaching Co., 7719 Pole. (c)

OFFICE MANAGER—Male or female, capable of handling correspondence, credit and collection experience; opportunity for future; state experience, age, position now holding and salary expected; give reference. Box P-83, Post-Dispatch. (c)

PLUMBERS—Two. Call 3748 Cozens. (c2)

SALESMANAGER—High class, to take charge of small sales force; good opportunity. Broadway Laundry Co., 615 Barton.

SALESMAN—Well acquainted with the men's furnishing and dry goods trade, to handle a neckwear, belts, hosiery, etc., manufacturer in St. Louis; we have well established trade in the State of Iowa; in this letter state whether married or single, experience, references, salary expected and when in full confidence. Box W-560, Post-Dispatch.

SEWER PAINTER—To paint stage curtains. Box R-269, Post-Dispatch.

Service Representative

Service representative to GIVE AWAY an article of value as part of greatest specialty dealer plan ever given an organization. Can be made to start; references essential. Don't sit and wonder what to do. Come in and see me. Apply 320 to 5, Mr. Chatham, 539 Arcade Bldg. (c2)

SHOEMAKER—And repairer; state age and position wanted. Box P-87, Post-Dispatch. (c)

SIGN PAINTERS—Good letter and pinstriped men on bulletins; men with auto must make good money. J. D. Mackay, 830 Wade St., Cincinnati, O.

STEAM FITTER—No helper need apply. Lindell 8090.

STOCK CLERK—Elderly man; experienced; to order material for electric motor manufacturing plant; state age and salary. Box P-84, Post-Dis. (c)

TAILOR—All around, at once. Gravois and Mississippi. Frank Bldg., Room 8.

TEAMS—Seven; wagons, one plow and 6 sets; also 15 good shovelers. 1622 Morgan. Lindell 1876.

TICKER'S HELPER—Experienced; willing to learn trade. 3747 Texas.

TYPESETTERER—Experienced in over-lasted work. 2827 Easton. (c)

VARNISH RUBBERS and finishers. Apply Employment Office, CHEVROLET MOTOR CO., Union and Natural Bridge. (c)

WASHERMAN—Experienced; call after 10:30 Sunday morning. Weldon-Lynch Laundry Co., 1433 N. Sarah st.

WIRE MAN—With storage battery experience. 1503 N. Grand. (c)

WRING MAN—High school graduate, to learn drug business. 2601 Washington.

WRING MAN—With experience in order department of advertising agency. Box P-97, Post-Dispatch. (c)

WRING MAN—For telephone switchboard and desk; state references and salary expected. Box P-16, Post-Dispatch. (c)

WRING MAN—18 to 25, for sales department; opportunity to learn salesmanship; license guaranteed while learning. Apply 824 Pierce Bldg.

WRING MAN, ENERGETIC, ASSIST TO SHIPPING CLERK, FOR RETAIL FURNITURE STORE; STATE EXPERIENCE, AGE AND SALARY WANTED. BOX A-53, POST-DIS.

WRING MAN—18 to 21, for local repair department; state age, office appliance experience and education; $85 to start. Box P-28, Post-Dispatch. (c)

WRING MAN—In sales department of supply house; must be capable of handling sales correspondence and taking telephone orders; an opportunity for the right party. Reply in own handwriting, giving references and salary expected. Box P-149, Post-Dispatch. (c)

YOUNG MAN—With good physique, having some education, with some experience, as foreman in metal trades; to work in factory 6 to 12 months to acquire knowledge of the manufacturing and for future promotion; state age, salary and references. Box P-6, P.-D. (c)

HELP WANTED—MEN, BOYS

YOUNG MAN—Energetic; must use typewriter; furniture store. Box P-105, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BIG OPPORTUNITY.

Wanted, man experienced in the buying of canned goods for large wholesale grocery; splendid opportunity to become department manager; must have executive ability; in answering state experience, nature of work and earning capacity. Box A-52, Post-Dispatch. (99)

ARE YOU THE MAN?—A well established business of years standing, with unlimited possibilities, located in Chicago, has an opening for a man (Gentile) not over 30, as secretary and correspondent to assist the president; substantial salary to start, with rapid advancement to the man accepted. $5000 investment required, amply secured; provided you can qualify, write or wire at once; position must be filled Jan. 1, 1925. Dept. E., Postoffice Box 457, Chicago.

Wagner Electric Corp.

Needs
GRIDLEY SET-UP MEN
GRIDLEY OPERATORS
DIE MAKERS
ALSO GIRLS FOR MACHINE WORK.

Apply Employment Dept.
6400 Plymouth (c)

AGENTS WANTED—MEN

AGENTS—Call at 315 S. Broadway for fast-selling articles; big profits. (c99)

AGENT—Send your name for novelty catalog. Wright & Son, 601 W. Indiana ave., Peoria, Ill.

AGENTS—Soap, tonic, 200 other items; big profits. Ho-Ro-Co., 1334 Franklin, St. Louis. (c62)

AGENTS—Can you sell to colored people? Write Becker Chemical Co., St. Louis. (c99)

AGENTS—Big money selling Everstrate to colored people; enormous demand; sure repeater. Eston Co., 2500 2d av., Birmingham, Ala.

AGENTS—Get our free sample case; toilet articles, perfumes and specialties. Wonderfully profitable. Lantern Co., 1st and 154, Main and Walnut, St. Louis, Mo.

AGENTS—Bottle Life Tonic free; wonderful medicine; big repeater; big profits. Lacassia Co., 321 N. 22d st., St. Louis, Mo.

AGENTS—Sensational sales opportunity; salesmen clearing $100 weekly; truly, you'll be proud to sell; write today. Tatloel Products Co., Salisbury, N. C.

AGENTS—Make $100 weekly; free samples; genuine gold window letters; no experience. Metallic Co., 435 N. Clark, Chicago.

AGENTS—Sell "Fragrance," new 5-Breath Perfume Candles to stores; big profits; constant repeat business. Lorrace Products Co., 69 Charles st., Albany, N. Y.

AGENTS—Rummage sales make $50 daily; we start you furnishing everything (wonderful values). Wholesalers, Desk 38, 609 Division, Chicago.

AGENTS—Introduce and get our liberal terms and free sample; tonics, soap, face creams, etc. Finley Med. Co., 4151 Olive, St. Louis, Mo. (c99)

AGENTS—Sell books by mail; use your money-making circulars at one-fourth cost; enormous profits on sales; particulars free. C. B. Elfco, 350 S. Dearborn, Chicago.

AGENTS—Our free folder describes over 20 plans for you to start in business; you'll be in a home or office business of your own. No peddling or investment. Downs Co., 2302 Wyrick Bldg., Kansas City, Mo.

AGENTS—New amazing seller; $5 (jewelry); sample case free; sensational; different; no room to tell our story here; write quick. Edwin Earle, Salisbury, N. C.

AGENTS—Monogram Automobiles; 15,000,000 prospects; $1.50 sells; $1.00 sale; Wilbur made $29.50 first day; free samples. Worcester Monogram Co., Worcester, Mass.

AGENTS—Hosiery; ladies' silk hose, $4.80 doz. pairs; popular sizes and colors. Main Co., 2720 Gilham, Kansas City, Mo.

AGENTS—Make $15 daily; sell every home to mend hosiery and cloth without needle. Invisible mending. Experience unnecessary. Queen City Laboratories, Norwood, O.

AGENTS—$15 to $25 a day, sell to every garage shop and factory. Starts you, get particulars. J. HRAT Mfg. Co., Lafayette, Ind.

AGENTS—Men and women sell to business houses in spare time. Choice and unusual opportunity. National Supplies Co., 227 S. 8th, Louisville, Ky.

AGENTS—$50 daily operating fire sales of salvaged clothing; stores equipped; exclusive territories; particulars free. 227 Headquarters, 1608 S. Halsted, Chicago.

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WOMAN—Wite, to wash dishes and help in pastry. Apply 1814 Washington. (c)

WOMAN—For general housework; no washing. 2346A Louisiana. (c)

WOMAN—Elderly, to work in kitchen; small restaurant. 3216 Virginia. (c)

WOMAN—Scientific — Dec. 28, N.-S., to light invalid, by month. Box P-13, P.-D.

WOMAN—For silver and glass pantry. Apply Monday morning. Caesar Cafe, 412 Pine. (c)

WOMAN—Middle-aged, assist with housework and care of elderly man. 5072A Pershing. Forest 2942R.

WOMAN—For housework and cooking; 3 adults; 10 to 8; go home nights. 58 e. 3538A Juniata. Sidney 4319R. (c)

WOMAN—Keep 3-room flat; all conveniences; give particulars. Box P-135, Post-Dispatch. (c)

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WOMAN—For the position of head pantry; must be thoroughly experienced in the handling of all fruits, making of all shades of similar cakes and pastry, instructing others and managing help; position permanent to one qualified; adequate salary. Address, with reference, Box W-402, Post-Dispatch. (c7)

WOMEN—Two, young, 20 years of age, for clerical position; previous experience not necessary. Apply Shaplaigh Hardware Co.

YOUNG LADY—Answer telephone, store work Sunday morning. 3719 Lucas.

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YOUNG LADY—As time keeper and department clerk; North Side factory; salary $16 or $17 to start; state age, experience and education. Box F-89, Post-Dispatch. (c)

YOUNG WOMAN—With experience in order department of advertising agency. Box K-249, Post-Dispatch.

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Bright, for stock work. Apply Dept. 4, LEVIS-ZUKOSKI MERC. CO., 1113 Washington. (c)

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SALESWOMEN—An unusual and permanent position will be open Jan. 1 to 10, to teacher, former teacher or one experienced in dealing with children; must be Christian (Protestant) and have pleasing manner; will pay good income from start; give age, education, church and phone number. Interview will be arranged with local representative. John Hadlo & Co., Inc., 2401 Prairie av., Chicago, Ill.

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ATTRACTIVE TRAVELING PROPOSITION—Calling on old customers of established firm; Southern territory during winter; no experience necessary; $100 a month with opportunity for early advancement; requires woman of ambition and personality, over 28, with high school or college education. J. S. Perry, Garland Bldg., Chicago.

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For balance of holiday rush. Apply first floor transfer desk, F. W. WOOLWORTH CO., Broadway and Washington. (c)

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ASHPITS — Corrugated steel. Economy Steel Metal Works, 3852 Gamble. Lindell 6155. (c99)

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AUTOMATIC COFFEE URNS — Gas stove, coal range, ins top tables, chairs, dough mixer, cutlery. Write for catalogue. RICHARD HOTEL SUPPLY CO., 709 Lucas av.

BEDSTEAD—Hand embroidered; buffet set, table piece. 4867A Evans.

BILLIARD TABLE—Large; cheap. Call Calany 4723R.

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BUGGY—Reed stroller; $5. 2110A Lafayette.

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CIGAR SMOKERS—Buy direct; long Flor Perfecto; hinged cover; $3 per 100, prepaid; double value guaranteed. Louis Bendit Dept. 14, 121 University place, New York.

COMBINATION TRAM BOARD AND GRAPHOPHONE—Cheap. 5053 Delmar. Forest 1066R.

COMPUTING SCALES—Autom-tic dial scales, Dayton, Toledo and Fairbanks; slightly used, also several useless computing scales. We have just trade-in a candy 48" x 100-ton Fairbanks; slightly used. Level track and Hoist. Howe. We operate a scale, safe and cash register service department. Write, wire or telephone Howe Scale Co., 604-5-6, Howe Scale Co., 308 St. Charles st. (c99)

CREAM COOLER—For candy; made by Perfection Co. Acme Elec. Co., 2221 Locket st.

CREAM SEPARATOR—New; cost $125; sacrifice, $50, trade. 4740 Olive. (c)

CUCKOO CLOCKS—6; $3 and up. 727 S. Newstead. Forest 3019J.

CYLINDER BLOCKS—Heads and radiators for most any car; low price. Modern Auto Parts, 1728 Lafayette. (c80)

DESK—Roll top, heater, tire rack, oil burner. 2417 Olive.

DISHWASHERS — Blakeslee, complete with tables, baskets. Acme Electric Co., 221 Market st. (c99)

DOG SLED—Inquire 4722 Lewis pl.

DOLL—Table and chairs, dresser, cradle, 3171 Iowa. (c)

DOLLS—Hands, wigs, parts; repairing done. Doll Hospital, 1600 Burd. (c83)

DOLL BED—House, high chair, sled, desk, chairs. Victor 3769M.

DOLL BUGGY—Large, gray reed, like new; $10. 5083 Minerva.

DOLL CAB—$5. Buck's best parlor heater, $20. 1445 Semple.

DOLLHOUSES—2-story, 6 rooms and bath, 4x3x1; cost $40; bargain. Standard Syrup Co., 1017 Chouteau.

DOME—Large dining-room dome and fixtures, complete, $8. 3009A Enda.

DRESSER—Street car; Large Lionel; 4032 Junction. Victor 1007R. (c)

ELECTRIC TRAIN—Lionel; standard gauge, engine, 5 cars and track; Pike near. 4942 Pennsylvania av.

ELECTRIC TRAIN—Ives, large size, practically new; $20; bargain. Forest 6407J. (c)

ELECTRIC TRAIN—American Flyer, with transformer, extra track, like new, $10. 8806 North Market. Parkview 1553W.

ELECTRIC TRAIN OUTFIT—Must sell Sunday, 1411 Rowan.

EMBROIDERED GIFTS—25c to $20. Lindell 1841M. 4049 West Pine.

FANCY XMAS TREE STANDS—Just a few left; great reduction; call and see them at 4053 Maffitt. Zell, Lindell 1841M.

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FINANCIAL—Safe Bank; large size; cheap. Dockery, 3615 Easton.

FURNACE—American, $90. Apply 4178 Manchester.

FURNACE—43 Front Rank will install in a 4 or 5 room house for $133. Schmidt Bros. Furnace Co., 4371 Laclede; Delmar 1300. (c)

FURNACES—Front Rank, rebuilt, guaranteed for 5 years, $50; also No. 42 Front Rank for No. 48, $60; No. 54, $75; American furnace, No. 348, $50; Home Comfort, $48-$50; Zero King, No. 28, $75. 4371 Laclede. Schmidt Bros. Phone Delmar 1300 or 3302.

FURNACES—Will install No. 48 Front Rank furnace, Star or American; will guarantee to heat 4-room house; will complete, ready for fire, 5 or 6 room house, first floor, for $175; while they last. Insure guarantee on these high grade furnaces. Schmidt Bros., 4371 Laclede. Delmar 1300. (c)

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GAS HEATER—Humphrey's; cost $28, sell for $12. Riverside 2170.

GAS HEATER—Circulator; new pad; $20. 1900 Cora.

GAS HEATER—Mahogany. 4224 Prairie. (c)

GAS HEATER—Hot-blast, $8; round oak dining table, $5. 4900 Lansdowne. (c)

GAS HEATER—Bridge & Beach Superior Radiator; Quick Comfort range. 3331 Labadie av.

GAS HEATER—Quick Meal; laundry stove, bed springs, combination range, 3-piece parlor set, kitchenette, 1 platform bench. 4770 Cabanne pl. Colfax 838R.

GAS HEATER—Bridge & Beach; good as new. 3710A Minnesota.

GAS HEATER—Radiant Home, hard coal; cheap 2759 Lafayette. Drug store.

GAS HEATER—Buck's hot, last; good condition; reasonable. 3331A Tennessee.

GAS HEATER—Large German stove; also new portieres. 3403 Enda. Victor 2577R. (c)

GAS HEATER—Superior, $20; Wilson heater, $11. 1145 Cass av.

GAS HEATER—Wilson, 927 Morrison av, block south of Hickory.

GAS HEATER—$8. Moore's, airtight; cheap; 3735A Kossuth. Colfax 1835J.

GAS HEATER—Moore's; like new; also iron bed; reasonable. 2830 Texas.

GAS HEATER—Wilson, like new; Oliver cut; bargain. 3944 Page.

GAS HEATER—Morris; cheap; in good condition. 9318 Pennsylvania. (c)

GAS HEATER—Wilson; also other heaters; cheap. Call Monday. 1900 Park.

GAS HEATERS—Several; $20; terms. Carondelet Moving Co., 7307 S. Broadway. (c)

GAS HEATERS—Wilson and Moore's airtight; open Sundays. 2501 Cass.

GAS HEATER—Moore airtight; $35. Dealer, 915 N. Broadway.

GAS HEATERS—Large variety; going out of business; open Sundays, we deliver. 2310 N. 18th st.

GAS HEATER—Moore's air-tight, complete; good condition; reasonable. 1343A Aubert.

HEATING STOVE—Buck's, 4153 Prairie.

HEATING STOVE—Good condition; cheap. 4061 Alaska.

HEATING STOVE—Large, Superior; good condition; cheap. 3410 Blow st. (c)

HEATING STOVE—Beds, dressers, chairs and oil stoves. 4224 Evans.

HEATING STOVE—Charter Oak; airtight; condition; $12. 1211A Lami. Washington and other goods; cheap. 3921 Lafayette.

HEATING STOVES—2; large. 4037A Labadie. (c)

HEATING STOVE—2 1 gas range; cheap. 5749 Windsor. (c)

HEATING STOVE—Good, for $11. 3521A Arkansas.

HEATING STOVES—Buck's new style; sample; never used; 50 per cent discount. Selkirk's Furniture Co., 4524 Delmar. (c)

HEATING STOVES — Of all kinds, airtight and other good stoves; cheap; cash or time. Keinert's Furniture Co., 1034 N. Vandeventer. (c)

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We have a large accumulation of heating stoves and have taken in trade during the summer. All are in perfect condition. For a bargain see us.

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HOT-WATER BACK—For Buck's combination heater. 3755A Kossuth. Colfax 1856J.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—1445 Warren.

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KITCHEN CABINET—3803 Juniata.

KITCHEN CABINET—Gray enamel; $10. 2374A Montgomery.

KITCHEN CABINET—White Hoosier; used month; good as new; reasonable. Call at 4002 Botanical.

KITCHEN TABLE — Drophead chairs, gray; $14. 3755A Kossuth. Colfax 1856J.

KITCHEN CABINET—Oak dining-room set; kitchen table, floor lamp; Babywalker; Monday only. 1368 Burd av. Forest 1039R.

KITCHEN HEATER—Quick Meal; white enamel. $40. 4711 Virginia.

KITCHEN HEATER—Gray bargain. Monday, 2909 S. Jefferson. General. (c)

KITCHEN HEATER—Only $12; heating stove, $10. 4012 Chouteau. Murdock.

KITCHEN HEATER—Quick Meal; perfect; sell cheap. 4619 Easton.

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LIBRARY TABLE—Mahogany; cheap. 1500A 3853 Castleman.

LIBRARY TABLE—Almost new. 4228A Maffitt.

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LINOLEUM—About 300 yards, best quality inlaid at $1 yard. Bensinger Co., 1007 Market.

LIVING-ROOM SUITE—Overstuffer; never used; $95. 3963 Shaw.

LIVING-ROOM SUIT—Overstuffed, only $85; cost $190. 4012 Chouteau.

LIVING-ROOM SUITE—3-piece; cheap. 4454 Labadie av.

LIVING-ROOM SUIT—Mohair; overstuffed; also rugs. 3409 Chouteau.

LIVING-ROOM SUITE—Overstuffed; a-1 condition; $35. 3311 Texas.

LIVING-ROOM SUITE—Mohair; lamp and Victrola. Forest 9122.

LIVING-ROOM SUITE—3-piece cane; bargain. Apply 4123A Lafayette. Grand 7619W.

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PARLOR SUITE—3-piece, mahogany; tapestry; fine condition; $30. 4530A S. Compton. (c)

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RADIANT HEATER—Large; $16.50; day bed, $8. Apply at 3839 Iowa av. (c)

RANGE—High-oven gas, $5. 3724 Olive.

RANGE—Stove; cheap; good condition. 3003 California.

RANGE—Quick Meal; white enamel; combination. Call Sunday morning. 5740 Easton.

RANGE—Combination, with water back; good condition; reasonable. 1927 Lucas.

RANGE—Quick Comfort; Bridge & Beach Superior radiator, cheap. 3331 Labadie.

RANGE—Combination; small size; $25. 3731 Lafayette. Jeff branch.

RANGE—Blue enamel; first-class condition; blue enamel pipe to match. 4152 Lafayette.

RANGE—Good condition $14; also Cole's high oven $18. H. Davis Furniture Co., 1718 Olive. (c)

RANGE—Bridge & Beach; also Jewel heater; both in good condition. 4232 Fredrick. (c)

RANGE—Cole's high oven; blue enamel heater; perfect; new, and some furniture. $125. Call 2111 Menard, rear, 2d floor, after 12 Sunday.

RANGES—Of all kinds, good, but in good condition, as low as $25; cash or time. Keinert's Furniture Co., 1034 N. Vandeventer. (c)

REFRIGERATOR—4 compartments; ice capacity 300 lbs. Main 3077. (c2)

ROCKERS—Two large leather, must sell today; bargain. 5274 S. Grand.

ROCKERS—Golden oak, with brown Spanish upholstered seats; new goods; $7. Dealer, 915 N. Broadway.

RUGS—Coe's ranges. Good Stoves & Moving Co., 5740 Easton. (c)

RUG—9x12 Wilton; reasonable. 4356 Evans.

RUG—Wilton velvet, 9x12, heavy; close to Delmar. 3755A Kossuth. Colfax 1856J.

RUG—9x12; Axminster; cost $75; sell $35. Palm. Delmar 3227M.

RUGS—Brick hearskin with natural head; cheap. 4122 N. Grand.

RUGS—Rag (cotton) Cord Stripe; Moving Co., 5740 Easton av.

RUGS—(carpets cleaning, Carpet Cleaning Co., 2624 Olive.

RUG—Leopard skin; laces and eyes from Orient. Cabany 4531R.

RUGS—9x12; 8x10; large carpet; ruffners all sizes. 4301 Evans leader.

RUG—Rocker, child's desk, Chevrolet curtains; overcoat. 4236 Cleveland.

RUGS—Tapestry, 8-piece, 9x12; cost $250; sell $95. "Automatic," wood or wringer; $35. "Automatic," wood or wringer; $25. Guaranteed and are in very good condition; purchased and sold by us; also two-power washers $5; repairing of washers and wringers a specialty. Steinmeyer Sewing Machine Co., 1104 Pine. Olive 672. (c)

RUGS—Axminsters, Congoleums, linoleums, beds, springs, mattresses, chiffoniers, dressers, cedar chests, gas stoves, Victrola. Call Monday, 2021 Biddle st. (c)

RUGS—Two Chinese rugs; one 9x18 and 8x10; these are finest grade bought by us in China and brought to U. S.; guaranteed 90 thread to the inch; corn will not fade; have never been on floor but used as wall hangings. Jefferson Barracks. Phone 88W.

SIDEBOARD—Wardrobe, folding bed; buggy; trade for buffet. 5081 Enright.

STOVE—Hard coal; self heater; cheap. 4318 N. 11th.

STOVE—Heater, Moore's modern gas, 4-burner; cost $100; sell $35. Natural Brass Co., 4235 W. Natural Bridge.

STOVE—365 Charter Oak parlor stove; black, with pipes, slightly used. $30. 3852 S. Compton. Lafayette 1300.

STOVES—Four new heating, at cost, to close out stock. 5714 Theola av. Delmar 2404.

STOVES—100 used, secondhand; all large sizes, $6 up; dealer, 201 S. Jefferson av.

STOVE—Blue enameled combination; oil or gas; $175; cost $300. Natural Brass Co., $80; sell $15. Call Sunday, 4378A Olive.

STOVE—Charter Oak heater; large size; good condition; nickel trimmed. $12. Call between 10 and 2 Sunday, 4026 Cleveland.

SUNROOM SET—3 pieces, ivory; heavy brass bed and spring, $18. 4329 Flassen st.

TALKING MACHINE—Large; good condition; $40, with records. 2733 Hunt.

TOY DRESSER—Large, white; beautiful work. Apply 1947A Therolow.

TRUNKS—Pictures, collars, ornaments, cushions, furs, jewelry, silverware, hats, care; no dealers. 3543 Cabanne.

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VACUUM CLEANER—Hoover; like new; $30. 2811 Victor.

VACUUM CLEANER—Pyramis-Premier; good condition. $15. 2846 Texas. (c)

VACUUM CLEANER—Like new; $35. 2942 N. 22d.

VACUUM CLEANER—Used once; sell $35. for $35. Knight, 1110-N. Taylor.

VACUUM CLEANER—Hoover, and cleaner; reasonable. Benton 1956J. (c)

VACUUM CLEANER—Eureka, attachments free; easy terms. Koestner Electric Co. 3527 N. Grand.

VACUUM CLEANERS—Floor sample, used Royal, Regina, Hoover; $25 to $35; some as low as $5; save money; sat. time. Morton Electric Co., 1117 Olive. (c)

VANITY—American walnut; bargain on Monday. 2909 S. Jefferson. General. (c)

WARDROBE—Dark oak, drawer, white; $10. 4611 Kensington.

WARDROBES—Oak and walnut, $5 up; dealer 201 S. Jefferson av. (c)

WARDROBE—Oak; double mirror; bed; $35. 3128 S. Compton, between Potomac and Gravois.

WASHER—Almost brand-new, copper tub; bargain price. 3515 Cherokee.

WASHING MACHINE—Electric; motor; never used condition. Calfax 4497W.

WASHERS — Eden, $35. Parker, 3622 Gaertner Electric Co., 3552 S. Grand.

WASHING MACHINE—Apex; electric and small lots; P. C. Baker, 2918 Franklin. Bomont 1544 and Bomont 2727. (c81)

WASHING MACHINE—Eden, copper tub; electric motor; $125. 4417 Bell.

WASHING MACHINE—Eden, copper tub; excellent condition; bargain; make us offer. 3623 Gravois.

WASHING MACHINE—A B C, cabinet style like new; willing to sacrifice. 3965 Palm.

WASHER—Brand-new, A. B. C.; cost $85. Gaertner Electric Co., 3552 S. Grand.

WASHING MACHINE—Eden; second wringer; perfect condition; cheap. 3515 Ohio.

WASHING MACHINE—Electric, $50; like new; washes and you'll buy it. 313 Rutger. Sidney 3388W.

WASHER—Eden copper washer; real bargain; make us offer. 3623 Gravois.

WASHING MACHINE—Water power; 3 months; bed, davenette; cheap. 4105A Dakota.

WASHERS REPAIRED — ANY MAKE WHEN YOU LET US DO IT. CALL WYDOWN THREE FOUR 837.

WASHING MACHINE—One hesmithtime machine, 3 tailor machines, 2 automatic lockstitch leather-sewing machines, 3 electric power machines for upholstering purposes. Lot of used famous machines now on hand at bargain prices. 4448 Easton av.

WATCH for 8 Singer for Xmas; $3 per month for 8. Used good; used drophead, $20. 4059 Chouteau. Phone Grand 1915. (c68)

WATCH CHANGE on special Xmas price of Victrolas during December. Forest 5859, 5167 Page.

WATER PUMP—Fairbanks-Morse, 2-cylinder, 7-h.-p. D. C. motor, 220 volts, complete with motor-driven machine; cost $1,000; sell $350; one Singer 66-10 tanker, 2 Singer 27-4 tailors, 1 Singer 31-15 stand and motor, 1 Singer 29-4 shoe, all stand and motor. Myerson, 924 Morgan st.

WATCH for Xmas. Singer electric machine, easy terms. Call L. Dyer, 1712 Olive. (c)

WATCH CLASP MACHINE—Practically new; cost $1,000. 4005 Page. Bomont 2414.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

GAS HEATER—Meet Volo; dress form, radio, toy farm, rug. 4342 Lee.

GO-CART—Doll; large size, reed; new. 813 Barton.

GUN—Single-barrel, 14-gauge. Colfax 2928R.

GUN—Double barrel Greener, 12 gauge, 7237 Call Monday. Brooster.

GUN—Remington automatic new. Olive 5301 Sun. 9:00. 2340 Olive.

GUN—Remington automatic; cheap. Call Calany 4723R.

HEATING PLANT—Ideal; 7 sections; guaranteed; reasonable. D. Wolff & Sons, 2219 S. 4th.

HOT-WATER BOILER—Heat 5 or 6 room house; $75. Schmidt Bros., 4371 Laclede. Delmar 1300.

HOT-WATER RADIATORS—About 350 feet. Box P-208, Post-Dispatch.

ICE SKATES—Girl's; brand-new; size 7; cheap. 5443 Ruskin.

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INVALID WHEEL CHAIRS AND BEDS for sale or rent; sickroom equipment of every description. 4219 Olive. Phone Lindell 3007. (c99)

IRISH MAIL—Velocipede, rubber tired; child's oak slide; good condition; bargain. 1717 Lafayette.

LAMP POSTS—4 ornamental electric street lamp posts, 4-globe Banks, 9 feet high. Apply building superintendent, 4th and Spruce. Goods (c)

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LIONEL TRAIN—Large; 8 cars and switches. Bargain, $25.

LOUNGING ROBES AT A SACRIFICE

World's famous international lounging robes at sacrifice prices. $10, $12 and $15; bath robes for $5 each. Came in too late to sell at wholesale. Sale starts Monday. Ladies corduroy lounging robes at $3.

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$10,000 of imported and domestic dolls came in too late for holidays; will sacrifice at 50c and $1. Mama dolls at $1. Other dolls cheap for $1.

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MECCANO OUTFIT—Complete, with motor; cost $28; sell $12. Call Sunday, 2917 Ends. (c)

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MOVING PICTURE MACHINE—Dandy Chrome field; cheap; also films; call Sunday. Empress Theater Bldg., room 204.

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POOL TABLE—Come, 3x6, $20. 2322A Bell.

POOL TABLE—2x4; like new; fine for boys. 3926 Louisiana.

POOL TABLES—For home use; nice for children; sizes 2x4, 2½x5, 3x6. 3326 S. Compton. Victor 767. (c)

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RADIATORS—Three Clow Gasteam. Louis A. Miller, 218 Pine. Olive 615. (c99)

REFRIGERATORS—Butcher coolers and soundproof refrigerators; also ice machines at reduced prices and terms to suit. Telephone Central, 694-5-6. Howe Scale Co., 308 St. Charles st. (c99)

RIFLE—22 caliber Winchester, model 55; bolt action; almost new; $30. Box K-366, Post-Dispatch.

ROAD and railroad maps; all parts of the U. S. at Foster's, 410 Washington. (c92)

SAFES—Bargains in used safes. John Bauman Safe Co., 3d and St. Charles. (c99)

SCALE—3500-lb. Buffalo, with 2000-lb. capacity weighbeam. John Ramming Meat Market, 1st and Biddle.

SCALES—Computing, and cash registers rebuilt, all styles and sizes; guaranteed. 2705 S. Jefferson. (c)

SHOTGUN—16-gauge, automatic; new. 3434 Humphrey. (c)

SHOTGUN—New, 28-gauge; also hunting coat. 4812 Page.

SHOTGUN—Marlin pump, 12-gauge; bargain. 3837 Delmar bl.

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SHOTGUN—12-gauge, double barrel; $10. 5312 Blow st. Sunday.

SINGING—Cennington automatic; first-class condition. 308 East Adams, Kirkwood, Mo.

SHOTGUN—20 gauge Winchester pump gun; cost $45; used Remington repeating rifle. Colfax 3226W. (c)

SHOTGUN—Winchester pump, light, 16-gauge; modified choke; brand-new; and Remington repeating rifle. (c)

SKATES—Girl's ice skates and suit. Call Delmar 3391M. (c)

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TRAIN AND 2 COACHES—Lionel electric, 32 sections of tracks, 2 switches, transformer, reversing gear; $15. 4328 Euclid ter., Apt. B. Forest 5956J.

TRICYCLE—Large tires; looks new; cost $18; sell $8. 3021A Franklin.

TRICYCLE—Child's large size; splendid condition; phone Calany 2492M. (c)

TRICYCLE—Cost $18, sell for $4. 1509 S. 7th.

TUNING—Bags, suitcases, factory selection; bargains must sell. 2703A Arsenal.

TRUNK—And bag; call today, cheap. 2644 Arsenal.

TRUNKS—Wardrobe and d

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WASHING MACHINE—Eden; floor sample; Ohio cleaner, $10. Louis Wolken Electric, 3733 Humphrey. Grand 1328. (36)

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WASHING MACHINES—Floor samples and used A. B. C., Thor, Eden, Almetal; slightly used and others; cash or terms; sale as low as $25. Morton Electric Co., 1117 Olive. (c141)

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Commencing 10 a. m., extra large sale of the household goods of every description; must be sold to highest bidder. FAST AUCTION CO., 2009 Morgan. (c99)

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Davenette suites as low as $25; 4-piece bedroom suites $87.50; dining room suites and buffets greatly reduced. Buffets, $22.50; sideboards, $7.50; rockers, $3; extension table, $10; linoleum, 50c; springs, $2.50; mattresses, $3; cedar chests, $12.50; cooking stands, $1.95; reed fernieries, $2.50; library tables; chifforobes, $22.50, and dressers, $22.

Old furniture taken in exchange for new. WARD-ARMSTRONG H. & F. CO., Complete Home Furnishers. Cor. Public Library, 1306 Olive st. (c14)

Furn. Houses & Flats For Sale

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MACHINE work of all kinds; stamping, special tools; set up and repair. Observatory Mfg. Co., 2629 La Salle. (c99)

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RADIOS Wtd.—Any kind; must be cheap; state price and parts. Box K-224, P.-D.

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For Sale

BATTERY CHARGERS—Valley; guaranteed; $10 each; we repair Valley Chargers. 2802 Olive.

CRYSTAL SETS—$3; cabinet style; year guarantee. 901 Walton. (c)

CRYSTAL SETS—With Red Devil crystal, $1.75; with Star crystal, $3.50. Also sets, $16; tube batteries, crystal sets with amplifiers, $10; works, speaker. Open to 10 p. m. Home Radio Supply, 1509 Clara.

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RADIO For Sale

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RADIO—Neutrodyne, Parkview 363M. 6341 Etzel av.

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RADIO—Complete 1-stage regenerative radio set; quick sale wanted; name your own price. 4239A Louisiana.

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RADIO—3-tube sets, $15 each; tubes with batteries; bargains. After 10. 401A N. Euclid.

RADIO—Michigan, 3-tube set; tubes and batteries; bargain. Jones, 3103 Waller av.

RADIO—3-tube set; complete; cost $175; sacrifice $65; guaranteed coast to coast on speaker. 901 Walton.

RADIO—Freshman masterpiece 5-tube set; Western Electric speaker; cheap. 4902 Northland.

RADIO—52 Neutrodyne, Western Electric speaker D-10 and battery charger. 5439 Minerva.

RADIO—4-tube Transatlantic type, new; with tubes and batteries, $47.50; must be sold today. 3116 Locust.

RADIO—New Grebe CR-9, complete with charger and cabinet; cost $230; cheap. Call 3555A Caroline.

RADIO—3-tube Neutrodyne; new; perfect demonstrator. Benton 4SW. (c)

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RADIOS—Two 5-tube Neutrodynes, half price. Western Electric 10-D, $55; loud speaker for $20. 2600 Marcus; Forest 2912.

RADIO—4-tube, complete with magnavox speaker; perfect condition; exceptional bargain; demonstration. 3815 Shenandoah. Grand 4056W.

RADIO—Armstrong regenerating 2-tube; harmar, loop regenerating batteries; home charger, loop aerial, etc.; complete, $50. 4919 Wise. (c)

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AUTOMOBILES

Post-Dispatch Want Ad Phone, Olive 6600
Sold again, 50c line, daily or Sun.
Display, 55c daily, 45c Sun.; out-of-town, again, 55c daily, 40c Sun.; display, 45c daily, 55c Sun. Discounts, per line: Again—3 times, 1c; 7 times, 2c; 30 times, daily 3c, Sun. 2c. Display, 3 times, 1c; 7 times, daily 2c, Sun. 3c; 30 times, daily 3c, Sun. 5c. Minimum 2 lines.

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FOR HIRE—New Ford ton truck, by contract or otherwise. Lindell 4287R. (c65)

TRUCK HIRE—By contract or otherwise. 2700 Market. Bomont 1038. (c7)

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AUTOMOBILES—New high-grade cars; take deeds of trust, diamonds or 7-room residence. Hawkins, 2907 Washington.

AUTO Wtd.—Will exchange by old car, in good running order, to better car, late model, and pay the difference; no dealers. Box K-388, Post-Dispatch.

Wanted

AUTOS Wtd.—Any kind; pay best prices. 3441 Juniata. Sidney 3403.

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AUTOS Wtd.—Largest cash buyers, St. Louis Used Car Exchange, 4464 Easton. (c8)

AUTOS Wtd.—To store; cheapest rate in town; fireproof building; also repairing, towing, cars bought. Sidney 2936J. (c6)

AUTOMOBILES WANTED
Cash paid for your equity.
Money loaned—repay monthly.
HUBEK MOTOR CAR CO., 2601 Locust (c16)

AUTOS WANTED BADLY
We pay cash; see us before you sell. OLIVE MOTOR, 2910 Washington. Bomont 1103. (c8)

COUPE Wtd.—1923 or 1924; anything but Ford; will pay $23 to $30 per month till paid for. Box K-347, Post-Dispatch.

FORD TOURING Wtd.—1923; with starter. 6339 Arsenal. Benton 1362J.

FORD Wtd.—Coupe; late model; will pay cash. 4722 Cabany. (c6)

100 AUTOS WTD.

Before Jan. 1: $100 to $1500 spot cash; don't sell before you see us; we pay more. YAHLEM MOTOR CO., 1035 N. Grand. Largest buyers in State. Lindell 595. (c8)

FORD COUPE Wtd.—Or Tudor; late; must be cheap; drive over Sunday. Call A. & roundhouse, ask for S. machinist.

FORD COUPE Wtd.—Will pay cash for 1924; must not be over four months old with 4,000 miles or under 10,000; state make, giving motor number, date purchased new, from whom purchased and your lowest rock bottom price. Box W-111, Post-Dispatch

MAXWELL Wtd.—1923 coupe or sedan; must look like new; also want right back fender left side; phone 1996; write Fred Thien, 440 East 8th st., Alton, Ill.

SMALL CARS Wtd.—Motor cycles; cash or trade. Knight's, 1512 Locust.

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SCHEEL MOTORS STOCK—$400 as down payment on 4-passenger coupe, balance monthly. Room 1005 Coronado Hotel.

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$25,000 CASH to buy late model cars. Sidney 3403. 3137 Locust. (c8)

MONEY loaned on automobiles by the week or month; no red tape; no publicity; bring your car ownership papers; your loan will be made in a few minutes. Auto Auction Co., 1210 Olive st. (c8)

DO YOU NEED MONEY?

Auto loans in 5 minutes; car left in your possession; no red tape; confidential; open evenings.
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1035 N. Grand.

Garaging, Storage, Cleaning

DEAD STORAGE AUTOMOBILES.
We make a specialty of storing automobiles. Phone Forest 4300 for rates.
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AUTOMOBILES repaired; all makes; fair prices. Hawkins Motor Co., 2907 Washington.

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FREE—For a short time only, will take the carbon knock out of your gasoline motor; cost only; absolutely reliable. Box F-11, Post-Dispatch.

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At reduced prices. For information, call Riverside 2081. SCHOTTEN-VICKERS, INC., 8639 S. Broadway. (c8)

AUTOMOBILE REPAIRING HOODS, FENDERS, TANKS

Don't throw your radiator away. We can save you money. We have a specialty of repairing all makes of radiators or short orders. ISPIT & MAUTZ, Phone Bomont 2488. 3326 Olive. (c99)

Coaches

BUICK COACHES

We have two, both four and 6 cylinder models; these two cars are 1923 series; both like new and in perfect mechanical order in the cold these wintry days? Trade in your open car; real bargain; terms; open nights and Sunday.
SOUTH SIDE BUICK, 2646 Lafayette av.

CHEVROLET—1923 4-passenger coach, $300; terms. Schnell, 4719A Natural Bridge.

PRE-INVENTORY SALE.
1923 Chevrolet, coach; good condition throughout; new paint; was $350; now $325; terms.
DE LUXE, 3128 Locust. Bomont 2812X
Open All Day Sunday and Evenings.

ESSEX—Coach, 1923; like new; cheap trade; terms 2506 S. Jefferson. (c)

ESSEX—Coach; 1923; 4-cylinder; very interesting; terms. Huber, 2601 Locust; open Sunday.

1—1924—Essex coach; like brand-new; save several hundred dollars. Box W-111, Post-Dispatch

1—1923—Hudson coaches; thoroughly fine; complete extras; disc wheels; very low price. UNIVERSAL, 3401 Locust st.

PRE-INVENTORY SALE.
1924 Essex coach; used very little; driven less than 4000 miles; fully equipped; was $775; now $675; terms.
DE LUXE, 3128 Locust. Bomont 2812X
Open All Day Sunday and Evenings.

1923
ESSEX COACH, 4 CYLINDER

In excellent condition throughout; 6 tires, 2 bumpers; other useful accessories; a real bargain; cash or terms.
HUDSON-FRAMPTON 3309 Locust.

1924
ESSEX COACH

Refinished rose lake maroon; new tires; carries 30-day guarantee; the most popular 3-passenger closed car offered today at the price of an open car; an Ideal Christmas gift.
HUDSON-FRAMPTON 3309 Locust.

HUDSON—Coach; very reasonable; must sell. 5059 Cates.

Hudson Coach—Late Model

Wonderful condition; best buy in town.
MONARCH, 3137 Locust.

HUDSON COACH, $395

Real buy; hurry; wonderful bargain; cost $1650; terms; trade. 2740 Olive.

HUDSON COACH

5-passenger; original paint and tires; mechanical condition perfect.
WARD'S, 3032 Locust st.

HUDSON COACH

1923; newly painted; mechanically guaranteed; 5 tires; tire rack in rear; extra seat cover; a 5-passenger closed car at open car price; guarantee.
HUDSON-FRAMPTON 3309 Locust.

MAXWELL—1924 coach; they don't come better; driven 1700 miles; make offer; open Sunday. GRAUPNER, 3418 Locust.

PRE-INVENTORY SALE.
1923 Oldsmobile coach; rebuilt; new paint; new covers, cord tires, disc wheels; was $850; now $650; terms.
DE LUXE, 3128 Locust. Bomont 2812X
Open All Day Sunday and Evenings.

Coupes For Sale

AUBURN—Coupe, small, 4-passenger light six; looks good as new; $175 cash and $200 terms. Woods, 7973 Olive.

BUICK—4-passenger coupe; A1; condition perfect paint; cheap; need money. Lewin, 4616 Walnut. Forest 7214. (c6)

BUICK—Coupe, 4-passenger, $250; $50 down; trade. 2340 Olive.

BUICK—Latest, beautiful, 1923; 4-cylinder; 3-passenger coupe; every extra but kitchen sink; everything $745; terms. Motorists, 1834 Locust.

BUICK—Coupe, 4-pass.; in excellent mechanical shape; balloon tires, good paint; priced unusually low for quick sale. McCarthy-Archer Automobile Co., 439 N. Euclid. Forest 626. (c53x)

BUICK 4-PASSENGER COUPE—In A1 condition; 5 practically new cord tires, seat covers; $375, year to pay.

OLIVE MOTOR 2910 WASHINGTON

BUICK 6-48 COUPE

Four-passenger; a comfortable car; rebuilt and looks like new.
MONARCH, 3137 Locust.

BUICK COUPE

This beautiful 4-passenger coupe automobile is just like new; newly painted and rebuilt in our shop; 30-day bonafide guarantee applies to this car; absolutely just like new; only $550; terms; trade. Open nights and Sunday.
SOUTH SIDE BUICK, 2646 Lafayette av.

CHEVROLET—Coupe, first-class condition; and paint. 3829 Humphrey. (c)

CHEVROLET—Coupes and touring, three late; cheap; trade; terms. 2506 S. Jefferson.

CHEVROLET—1923; also sedan; good as new; trade; terms; 5 weeks. Knight's, 1512 Locust.

CHEVROLET—1924 coupe; car just like new; $345; terms. 716 N. Vandeventer. (c)

CHEVROLET—Coupe, late superior model, good as new; only $200 cash and $225 time. Woods, 3933 Olive.

CHEVROLET—1924, latest model; new Kelly-cord tires; motor overhauled; paint like new; $475. 5049 Delmar. Forest 3100. (c)

CHEVROLET—1924 4-pass. coupe; driven 1700 miles; if they don't come better, or new and drive; liberal trade; easy terms; open Sunday. GRAUPNER, 3418 Locust.

CHEVROLET—Late 1923 coupe; this car is what you are looking for; the price is low for a car which has so much service still in it. 1630 S. Jefferson. Forest 3100. (c)

CHEVROLET—1923 coupe, overhauled mechanically; paint, tires fine; we know our stuff and this job is right; $420; terms. McCarthy-Pardue, 6320 Delmar. Cabany 588. (c80)

MUST SELL MY
1923 Chevrolet coupe at once; make cash offer or terms; see today. Phone Forest 150 a. m. or Colfax 1462J in p. m. (c53x)

CHEVROLET—Coupe; prettiest latest 1923, equipped with everything but kitchen sink; everything; $575; terms; trade; best real bargain in St. Louis; hurry. Motorists Show, 1834 Locust.

1—1923—Chevrolet coupes; thoroughly fine; bumper front and rear and every extra; very cheap.

1—1924—Rickenbacker coupe; like brand-new; save $800.
UNIVERSAL, 3401 Locust st.

PRE-INVENTORY SALE.
1923 Chevrolet coupe; motor rebuilt, cord tires, new paint; fully equipped; was $600; now $400; terms.
DE LUXE, 3128 Locust. Bomont 2812X
Open All Day Sunday and Evenings.

CHEVROLET COUPE.
Superior model; fine condition; all tires in good condition; original superior finish; priced to sell quick. Open Sunday and evenings.
FLINT MOTOR CAR CO.,
4710 Delmar bl. Forest 1500.

CHEVROLET COUPE

1923 model; good rubber and mechanical condition good; a real bargain at $295.
OLIVE VALLEY AUTO CO., 2801 Locust.

CHEVROLET COUPE—LATE MODEL. Slightly used; you can't tell it from a new; $295; year to pay.

OLIVE MOTOR 2910 WASHINGTON

1924 Chevrolet Utility Coupe

Driven very little; looks like new; $395 for quick sale.
3041 LOCUST BL.

LEVELAND—Coupe, 4-passenger; 1923; excellent appearance; all extras; terms. Huber, 2601 Locust. Open Sunday.

DODGE—Coupe, 1921; fine shape, $325; terms. Owen Russell. (c)

DODGE—19 3 business coupe; 5 new tires. Cabany 9272. (c)

DODGE—Coupe; 4-passenger; $275; first-class condition; $725 or $723 Delmar. (c)

DODGE—Coupe, 1923 model; like new, used very little; many extras; bargain. 3151 Easton.

DODGES—20 late coupes, sedans, tourings and trucks; cheap; trade, terms. 2506 S. Jefferson. (c53x)

DODGE—1923 3-passenger coupe; disc wheels, $495; baby Overland, $275. Schnell 4719A Natural Bridge.

DODGE—Brand-new, 1924 coupe, with extra equipment; everything $695; some rare bargain. Motorists, 1834 Locust.

DODGE—1923 business coupe; rare bargain at $650; don't take our word; drive it; extra fine tires; your own terms; open Sunday. GRAUPNER, 3418 Locust.

DODGE—Coupe; brand-new; 1924; four-passenger; fine; substantial saving; terms. Huber, 2601 Locust. Open Sunday.

DODGE 4-PASSENGER COUPE.
In wonderful condition throughout; 6 tires; you can get it for $395, year to pay?

OLIVE MOTOR 2910 WASHINGTON

DODGE BUSINESS COUPE.
Latest model; like brand-new; Royal cord tires, front and rear bumpers, radiator shutter, $695; year to pay.

OLIVE MOTOR 2910 WASHINGTON

ESSEX COUPE

2-passenger in perfect condition; refinished sage brush green; nickeled radiator and head lamps, spare tires, 2 bumpers, set curtains; car at a price.
HUDSON-FRAMPTON 3309 Locust.

FORD—Coupe; clean. 2706 N. 11th.

FORD—1924 coupe; guaranteed; run 3800 miles; $447a Dale. (c)

FORD—1924 coupe; 5 new tires, Cabany 9272. (c)

FORD—1922 model coupe; cheap. 4724 Cabany.

FORD—Coupe; 1924; must sell today. Sidney 3020Z. (c)

FORDS—15 coupes; real bargains; easy terms. 3520 Easton.

FORD—Coupe, 1923, $275; 1921 touring, $95; terms. 1805 Russell. (c)

FORD BODIES—Coupe, Ford sedan; will trade open body. 3849 Easton.

FORD—1923 coupe; perfect condition; $253; terms. 3929 Laclede. (c)

FORD—1923 coupe; $295; forfeited on loan. Auto Auction Co., 1210 Olive.

FORD—1924 coupe; very good running order; $380; terms. 3929 Laclede. (c)

FORD—Coupe, 1923; $250; like new; big bargain. 4908 Northland.

FORD—Coupe, 1924; $340; 1923, $175; 1922 $130; terms. 3631 Easton.

FORD—Coupe, 1923; $395. Buick coupe, 1923. 4711 Natural Bridge.

FORD—Coupe, with Lawrence 4-pass. body; cheap. 3820 Humphrey. (c)

FORD—Coupe, 1923; starter, demountables; like new. 3200. 4965 Lotus av.

FORD—Coupe, good running condition, $100. Mr. McClean, 3127 S. Jefferson.

FORD—Coupe; perfect; oversized cord tires, accessories; bargain. 3433 Osage.

FORD—Coupe, 1924; same as new; $125 down, terms. 3520 Easton.

FORD—Coupe, 1923; bargain; $195; easy terms; $75 down. 3520 Easton.

FORD—Coupe, starter, etc.; $155; $45 down; bargain. Morris, 2810 Olive.

FORD—Coupe, 1924; starter, etc.; good; only $350; terms. Morris, 2810 Olive.

FORD—Coupe; looks like new; $50 down. 2219 Gravois.

FORDS—Coupes, 1923; $295, great bargain; terms. 3049 Olive.

FORDS—Coupes; beautiful cars; fine Xmas presents; $225 up; terms. 3114 Cass.

FORD—Coupe; late; like new every way; $165; terms; trade. 2735 Olive.

FORD—1923 coupe, driven 1000 miles, 1921 Dollar st.

FORD—Coupe, 1924; starter, rims, lock wheel. Hasslers; $325. 4745A Nebraska.

FORD—1924 coupe, $395; easy terms; A1 condition. Rieffing's, 2315 Olive.

FORD—Coupe, 1923; fine condition; $290 terms. Selmer, 2341 S. Jefferson. (c)

FORD—1923 model coupe; wonderful condition; many extras. 6703 Gravois.

FORDS—100 coupes, late model; sedans, tourings and roadsters, $25 up; terms. 2506 S. Jefferson.

FORD—Coupe; '22, all extras, must sell today; cash, $160; or best offer. Cabany 4316W. (c6)

FORD—Coupe, 1923 model; new paint; 4 new tires; must sell quick. Parkview 358. (c2)

Coupes For Sale

NEW FORD COUPE
Trade any make car.
MONARCH, 3137 Locust.

FORD—Coupe, 1922; good condition; $265; terms.
JOHNSON AUTO CO., 3667 Olive. (c2)

FORD—Coupe; in excellent condition; run very little; a bargain. Cabany 5954W, Lindell 227.

FORDS—10 1923 coupes, with lots extra equipment; $235 up; terms; trade. Motorists, 1834 Locust.

FORD—1924 coupe; want to sell Sunday; $375; terms to responsible buyer; bargain; Sidney 1352W; 3342 S. 18th.

FORD—1924 coupe, brand-new; price right; will also finance. Chase Garage, 221 York. Forest 8331, Forest 1452. (c)

FORD—Coupe, 1924, like new; a real bargain for $425; easy terms.
JOHNSON AUTO CO., 3667 Olive. (c2)

FORD—Late model coupe; repainted; fine condition mechanically; cheap; terms, trade. 1650 S. Jefferson.

FORD—Coupe; 1923; completely equipped; A1 condition; a real bargain; terms, Benton 2123.

FORD—Coupe, has everything but 4-wheel brakes; A1 shape; must sell; sickness. 2329 Baldwin. (c)

FORD—Coupe, 4-pass. De Luxe; latest pattern body, starter, disc wheels, etc.; handsome; terms. Morris, 2810 Olive.

FORD—1924 coupe; nearly 10,000,000 number; like new; terms; trade on car or body. Morris, 2810 Olive.

FORD—Coupe, 1923; like new, with full equipment; bargain. Western Automobile, 4824 Washington bl. Delmar 145.

FORD—1921 coupe; motor paint, tires good; dandy at $225; terms. MacCarthy-Pardue, 6320 Delmar. Cabany 588. (c80)

FORD—Coupe; late model; with Gabriel snubbers, Goodyear cord tires, steering wheel lock. 3963 Palm.

FORD—Late '22 coupe; newly painted and new rubber; good running order; $250 cash. Lindell 1069R. (c)

FORD—Coupe; 1923; used 6 months; Hasslers, cord tires; can't tell from new; $400. 4965 Lotus av.

FORD—Coupe; lots extras; runs; $35 cash; also Chevrolet coupes, $45 down. 1922 Chevrolet coupe; others; trade. 3441 Juniata.

FORD—Coupe, 1924; lock wheel, extra tire; 6 months old; must sell; $350; worth for number 9,807,670. Miss Carrie White, 1423 Olive.

FORD—Coupe, $125; must be seen to be appreciated; small down payment, balance monthly. Tevis Motor, Ford Dealers, 3003-5 Locust. Open evenings and Sunday.

FORDS—Coupes, 1921 to 1924 models; $175 to $425; some real bargains; liberal terms.
JOHNSON AUTO CO., 3667 Olive. (c2)

FORD—Coupe, several; '22, '23 and '24 models; $265; terms. Bill Eastern, Kuhlman Auto Sales, 5149-51 Easton. (c53x)

FORD—Coupes, 1922, '23, '24; 10 to select from; exceptional bargains; $175 to $350; small down payment, $5 weekly. Haupt Motor Co., 4127 Olive.

FORD—4-passenger coupe; one A1 condition; bargain for quick sale. Weste n Automobile Co., 4824 Washington bl. Delmar 145.

FORD—Coupe, very late 1923; starter, etc.; $100 down; terms; trade on car or body. Open Monday eve. Morris, 2810 Olive.

FORD—Coupe; 1921; new paint; 5 cord tires; heater; motor perfect; many extras; fine price, $195 cash. Victor 448; 2767 Park.

FORD—Coupe, 1923; 4 coupes; rare bargains; $100 down; don't take our word; drive 'em; also real solid 1921; make us prove; open Sunday. GRAUPNER, 3418 Locust.

FORD—Coupe, '22; starter; demountables; good running order; cost you $250; sell for $150. 4340A Oakland. Bomont 2462R. (c)

FORD—Coupe, 1921 model; a real bargain at $195 during our pre-inventory sale. Weber Impl. & Auto Co., 19th and Locust.

2—1924—Ford coupes, nearly new; cheap. 5—1923—And 1922; choice, $235; all extras; accessories.
UNIVERSAL, 3401 Locust st.

FORDS—Coupes, all prices; sold at a sacrifice; small down payment, balance monthly. Tevis Motor, Ford Dealers, 3003-05 Locust. Open evenings and Sundays. (c2)

FORD—Coupe; short model, Ames body; starter and demountables, equipped with extras; only $220; terms; ask to see No. 312; other coupe bargains; always open. Carondelet Motor Co., 3807 S. Grand.

FORD—Beautiful 1924 coupe; like new; double Hassler shock absorbers, bumper, new cord equipment; dash light, speedometer, etc.; a wonderful little car; everything; large wheel; $395; best bargain. Motorists, 1834 Locust.

FORD COUPE, 1923, $75.00

Down. Will paint and rebuild to order.
MONARCH, 3137 Locust.

FORD COUPE, 1924, $395

Look, speedometer, original tires.
MONARCH, 3137 Locust.

1924
FORD COUPE

Just a few months old; new in every respect; as a special $410 cash or terms.
HUDSON-FRAMPTON 3309 Locust.

1924 Ford Coupe, $395

First one gets it today; new style body; motor just rebuilt; easy terms or trade.
YAHLEM MOTOR CORP.,
1035 N. Grand.

FORD COUPES.
21-22-23-24; all in A1 condition with lots of accessories; $135 and up; year to pay.

OLIVE MOTOR 2910 WASHINGTON

$1000 FORD DE LUXE COUPE.
Four-pass.; boy, it's a dream; not another one like it in town; disc wheels, other extras; will trade for Ford touring or thing; all dressed up; looks like a million dollars; buy it if you want this for $375; year to pay.

OLIVE MOTOR 2910 WASHINGTON

Ford "Salesmen Special"

Late model; starter, demountable, lock wheel; newly painted; splendid condition throughout; ample use on rear; 40x28x 34; cheap for quick sale.
3041 LOCUST BL.

GARDNER—Coupe, late 1923; excellent condition; taken back for mortgage; will sell for balance due; cash or terms. 1227 Tower Grove av.

GARDNER—Coupe; excellent condition; bumper, silk curtains, upholstering A1; was $495; special during pre-inventory sale, $394.50; terms. Weber Impl. & Auto Co., 19th and Locust.

GRAHAM—New 3-passenger coupe; will arrive Dec. 23; first buy on the market. Hawkins Motor Co., 2907 Washington.

GARDNER COUPE

2-pass.; an ideal light coupe; used very little; in perfect condition.
WARD'S, 3032 Locust st.

HUDSON—4-pass. coupe, A1 condition; will exchange for small car. Lindell 4798M. 4363 Laclede. (c)

HUPMOBILE—Coupe, 4-passenger, late model, with extras. 766 Hamilton

HUP—4-pass. coupe; just what they are all looking for; only $450; perfect shape; terms; trade. Morris, 2810 Olive.

HUPMOBILE—Coupe; 1920 good tires; $495; refinished in Duco colors; special price during pre-inventory sale; $405; regular price $700. Weber Impl. & Auto Co., 19th and Locust.

HUPP COUPE, 1923, $890

Latest 1923 4-passenger; hardly run; cost $1800; terms. 2340 Olive.

LINCOLN COUPE

Late model 4-passenger; excellent condition throughout; 30-day mechanical guarantee; fine demonstration; terms or trade. LAMBERT-GRAVES, 4035 Lindell. (c65)

MARMON—Coupe; '21 model. 1917 Madison. (c)

Special Marmon 1923 Coupe

This car newly painted; in excellent mechanical condition; good tires; fully equipped; looks and runs like new. Just the car you would want to give your family for a Christmas present. Don't miss seeing this car priced at $2500. We consider it a bargain.
MORE AUTOMOBILE COMPANY,
Marmon Distributors, 2805 Locust st.
OPEN SUNDAYS AND EVENINGS. (c65)

MAXWELL COUPE

Just the car for this time of the year; repainted, renickeled; seat covers, bumper; new-car guarantee.
WARD'S, 3032 Locust st.

MILBURN ELECTRIC—1922; like new; Goodyear cords, new batteries, new charger, allu covers; a classy outfit; cost $3000; sacrifice, $1400; terms, trade. Room 1005 Coronado Hotel.

Coupes For Sale

NASH—1922 4-pass. coupe; car like new; want to sell; very liberal trade for old car; rare bargain; your own easy terms; open Sunday. GRAUPNER, 3418 Locust.

NASH COUPE, 1922 6-CYLINDER.
Latest Studebaker; light 6 cab roadster; good shape throughout; new paint; was $650, now $475; terms.
DE LUXE, 3128 Locust. Bomont 2812X.
Open All Day Sunday and Evenings.

NASH COUPE

3-pass.; a beautiful utility car for the business or small family man; overhauled and just out of the paint shop; we must sell; terms, with a year to pay; will take trade as part payment. Open Sunday.
WILSON MOTOR CAR CO.,
2921-27 Locust.

Templar Sport Rds.

$550

Classy jazz body, for a real Xmas present. Get it for the wife or sweetheart. Yahlem fixes the terms to suit you.
YAHLEM MOTOR, 1035 N. Grand.

Runabouts For Sale

FORDS—Runabouts, from $75 up; must be seen to be appreciated; small down payment, balance monthly. Tevis Motor, Ford Dealers, 3003-05 Locust. Open evenings and Sunday.

RAU-LANG—Electric coupe; repainted, new Exide tires, all new trays; can hardly be told from new car; this is the best bargain in an electric we have ever offered. Rau-Lang-Carter Automobile Co., 439 N. Euclid. Forest 626. (c53x)

ROLLIN—Coupe; late 1924; 4-wheel brakes; Lovejoy, extra tire; almost new; used very little; was $1375, but during our pre-inventory sale will sell for $1150. Weber Impl. & Auto Co., 19th and Locust.

1923 STAR COUPE

Splendid condition throughout; paint good; seat covers, bumper, motometer, etc. Cheap, $325.
3041 LOCUST BL.

STUDEBAKER—Special 6 coupe; 4-passenger; 1922; runs well; $350; terms; open Sunday. 1805 Russell.

STUDEBAKER 1922 COUPE—$175 cash.
Light six; an ideal car. See today.
MONARCH, 3137 Locust.

WILLYS-KNIGHT—Coupe, 1923 delivery; slick and fast as a stand-lover; all extras; special price. See this. Huber, 2601 Locust. Open Sunday.

Limousines For Sale

CADILLAC—1921 limousine. Lindell 1975. (c2)

FRANKLIN—Limousine; a dandy car for service; sacrifice at $375 today. Western Automobile Co., 4824 Washington bl. Delmar 145. (c)

HUDSON—Limousine; A1 condition; also 4-tube radio; going to California. Cabany 5317W.

PACKARD — Limousine; fine condition throughout; sacrifice today. Western Automobile Co., 4824 Washington bl. Delmar 145. (c)

PIERCE ARROW—38; h.p., 48; limousine; in A1 condition; very reasonable price. Western Automobile Co., 4824 Washington bl. Delmar 145. (c)

WILLYS-KNIGHT—Town car limousine, in A1 condition; a dandy car for service or private use; $300. Chase Garage, 221 York. Forest 8331, Forest 1452. (c)

Roadsters For Sale

BUICK—1923 roadster; prettiest in city; ready for winter; snug and cozy; terms; open Sunday. GRAUPNER 3418 Locust.

BUICK—New 1925; standard 6-cylinder roadster; steel body; large tires; fine condition; easy terms; hurry. Motorists Show, 1834 Locust.

BUICK—Classic; latest red sport model roadster; 5 wire wheels; everything; only $1985; sell for $750; best sport Buick Bargain in St. Louis; terms, trade. Motorists, 1834 Locust.

BUICK—1924 master 6 roadster; a solid perfect running good looking car; like winter top; small down payment; like trade; tires; rare bargain; will have next week a real perfect 1923 at a real bargain; open Sunday. GRAUPNER, 3418 Locust.

BUICK ROADSTER

1925 master 6; practically new; bumpers, many extras; priced to sell; terms. KUHS-BUICK, 2837 N. Grand. Open Sunday and evenings.

CADILLAC—Roadster; good condition; extra seat in back; bargain for quick sale. Western Automobile Co., 4824 Washington bl. Delmar 145. (c)

Cadillac Rds., $98

"Nuff said; $5 down buys it. That's Yahlem talking.
1035 N. Grand.

CHANDLER—Roadster, sport model; excellent condition; $300.
3227 LOCUST STREET. (c7)

1—1923—Chevrolet roadster; perfect; $295.

1—Late Hupmobile roadster; sport; Duco finish; sacrifice.
UNIVERSAL, 3401 Locust st.

CHRYSLER—1924 roadster; demonstrator; lots of extras; real bargain for quick sale. 3049 Olive. Delmar 1427. (c)

DODGE—Roadster; as is; price $45. 5056 Wells av.

DODGE—Roadster; good running order; $80. half cash. 4722 Cabany.

DODGE—1922, roadster; excellent condition; good tires, plate-glass enclosure; new brakes, motor recently overhauled; private basis; terms. Delmar 1427. (c)

1—Late Dodge roadster, $145.

1—1923—Maxwell roadster; looks new.
UNIVERSAL, 3401 Locust st.

Look! Essex Sport Roadster
ONLY $425

A real bargain; here's one that will make 70 or thereabouts; up to 2 miles an hour; easily worth $550, but I'm selling it for small profits; $425 takes it; terms or trade.
YAHLEM MOTOR COMPANY,
1035 N. Grand.

FORD—1924 roadster; new body, top and windshield; $225; terms. 3929 Laclede.

FORD—1921 roadster; starter and demountables; $100; terms. 3929 Laclede.

FORD—Roadster; late model; runs good $40; bargain. 3713 Cass av. (c)

FORD—Roadster; good running condition, $35. 2116 Cass.

FORD—Roadster; disc wheels and kind of fancy; $45 cash. 2810 Olive.

FORD—Roadster; starter; cheap. 2256 Cass.

FORD—Roadster; motor perfect; good tires; $40 cash. 3138A Arsenal st.

FORD—Roadster, cheap. Chase Garage, 221 York. Forest 8331, Forest 1452. (c)

FORD—1923 roadster; starter and demountables; $175; terms. 3929 Laclede.

FORD—Roadster; 1923; starter; nice car; $185; terms.

JOHNSON AUTO CO., 3667 Olive. (c2)

FORD—Roadster, 1920; good condition extra; $110.
JOHNSON AUTO CO., 3667 Olive. (c2)

FORD—Roadster; latest model; like Olive.
new; only $115; terms; trade. 2735

FORD—Roadster; 2 weeks old; late style crank case; terms. See Wynne, 2341 S. Jefferson. (c)

FORD—Late model roadster; good running condition; cash only, $35; good rubber. 2912A Thomas.

FORD—Roadster, overhauled; oaks good $150; terms. Mendenhall, 2323 Locust Open evenings and Sunday. (c)

FORD—Roadster; starter, brand-new body, 2 bumpers. See this beauty; bargain; easy terms. Morris, 2810 Olive.

FORD—Roadsters; 10, finest selection in town; lowest prices; small down payment, $5 weekly. Haupt Motor Co., 4127 Olive

FORDS—Roadsters; late models; in A1 condition; starter and demountables; bargains at $85 to $165. Ayres Auto, 1418 N. Kingshighway. (c7)

FORD—Roadster, 1924, with starter, demountables and shock absorbers; we new; a nice car, at a bargain. 2020 Olive.

1—1924—Ford roadster; 3 '23s, '22s; $10 up; every equipment.

1—1923 Studebaker special 6 roadster; clear; good; fit demonstration; terms or trade. LAMBERT-GRAVES, 4035 Lindell. (c65)

MARMON—1920; 4-pass. roadster, light weight, economical transportation; price reasonable; terms to responsible party. Parkview 884. (c68)

1922 HAYNES, $245.00

This is the best roadster buy in town today; worth $200 more, but priced to sell immediately.
MOORE MOTOR CAR CO., 3115 LOCUST.

PRE-INVENTORY SALE.
1921 Hupmobile roadster; good shape; was $450; now $275; terms.
DE LUXE, 3128 Locust. Bomont 2812X.
Open All Day Sunday and Evenings.

MARMON—1923, 2-passenger; new Duco Plymouth Garage, 5909 Plymouth.

MARMON—34—Chummy roadster; 1921 model; new tires, paint and overhauled motor; must sell, $550. Nick J. Worber, 1402A Olive st.

Look! Marmon, $550

Here is one of those famous Marmon chummy roadsters; come over and see this one; you'll fall in love with it. A real buy. Bring a deposit; terms or trade.
YAHLEM MOTOR COMPANY,
1035 N. Grand.

Roadsters For Sale

MAXWELL—Roadster; late model; like new; bargain. Methudy & Page, Reliable Dealers, Grand and West Pine bls. Lindell 5687.

PRE-INVENTORY SALE.
1922 Studebaker, light 6 cab roadster; good shape throughout; new paint; was $650, now $475; terms.
DE LUXE, 3128 Locust. Bomont 2812X.
Open All Day Sunday and Evenings.

Stutz Roadster

In good mechanical condition; good paint and tires; a beauty. We must sell; terms, with a year to pay; will take trade as part payment. Open Sunday.
WILSON MOTOR CAR CO.,
2921-27 Locust.

Templar Sport Rds.

$550

Classy jazz body, for a real Xmas present. Get it for the wife or sweetheart. Yahlem fixes the terms to suit you.
YAHLEM MOTOR, 1035 N. Grand.

Runabouts For Sale

FORDS—Runabouts, from $75 up; must be seen to be appreciated; small down payment, balance monthly. Tevis Motor, Ford Dealers, 3003-05 Locust. Open evenings and Sunday.

Brand-New Ford Runabout

Will be sold at worthwhile reduction for cash or will be sold $58.50 down and $28.50 monthly for 11 months; call Fuller at 3349 Wisconsin av. gets this bargain.

Sedans For Sale

BUICK—Sedan; 4-cylinder; 1922; fine running order; $400. Worrell-Nash Motor, 1610 Locust. (c)

BUICK—Sedan; 1922, 7-pass.; 6 cord tires, overhauled; upholstery like new; a bargain. Cabany 9000. Terms.

LAMBERT-GRAVES, 4035 Lindell. (c65)

BUICK—Sedan; 1924; 5 passenger at a big saving; also a coupe and 5-passenger touring. Call today for further information. Western Automobile, 4824 Washington bl. Delmar 145.

CHEVROLET—Sedan, late 1923; bargain if sold today. 1308 Laurel. Cabany 954W. (c)

CHEVROLET—Sedan; 1923; like new; Methudy & Page, Reliable Dealers, Grand and West Pine bls. Lindell 5687.

CHEVROLET—Late 1924 sedan; demonstrator's car; real bargain. See Bob Nichols, Big Four. 3218 S. Jefferson.

CHEVROLET—Late '22 sedan; given an overhaul job from end to end; new paint; nearly new tires; runs and looks like new; $400; terms. MacCarthy-Pardue, 6320 Delmar. Cabany 588. (c80)

CHEVROLET—Sedan; '23; looks and runs good; $300; terms. Mendenhall, 2323 Locust. Open evenings and Sunday. (c)

1—1923—Chevrolet sedan; perfect; looks brand-new.

1—1924—Ford sedan; also "23" and "22" touring; $75 up.
UNIVERSAL, 3401 Locust st.

CHEVROLET SEDAN.
Superior model; tires like new; condition of motor perfect; will sell now at a low price. Open Sunday and evenings.
FLINT MOTOR CAR CO.,
4710 Delmar bl. Forest 1500.

CHEVROLET SEDAN.
Beautiful sedan, in elegant condition; just out of paint shop; looks like new; guaranteed mechanically; $465, year to pay.

OLIVE MOTOR 2910 WASHINGTON

1923
CHEVROLET SEDAN

Driven 4800 miles; in excellent condition throughout; special price for today; cash or terms.
HUDSON-FRAMPTON 3309 Locust.

1924 CLEVELAND SEDAN.
Demonstrator; 6-cylinder 7-passenger, same guarantee as new; 1923 Cleveland sedan in first-class condition; very cheap.
CLEVELAND MOTOR SALES CO.,
2638 Locust st. Bomont 510. (c)

CHEVROLET SEDAN

Late delivery; absolutely just like brand-new; not a scratch or blemish on entire car; at a ridiculous price of $475; guarantee; terms. Open nights and Sunday.
SOUTH SIDE BUICK, 2646 Lafayette av.

COLUMBIA SEDAN LIGHT 6.
Latest model, slightly used; disc wheels, seat covers, bumpers; it's a beauty; only $675; year to pay.

OLIVE MOTOR 2910 WASHINGTON

DODGE—New 1923 sedan; $595; $175 down; another, $2450. 2340 Olive. (c)

DODGE—Sedan; looks new, down; trade 2340 Olive.

DODGE—1919 sedan; in good running order; cheap cash or terms. Bomont 580

DODGE—1923 business sedan; looks and runs like new. Cabany 9272. (c)

DODGE—1924 sedan; balloon tires; forfeited on loan. Auto Auction Co., 1210 Olive st.

DODGE—1919; 30-day written guarantee; 5 wire wheels; $95 down; trade. Room 1005 Coronado Hotel.

FORDS—Sedans; 1923 model; beautiful cars; cord tires; many extras; $250 up; terms. 3114 Cass.

DODGE—Sedan; repainted; late style; $85 down; trade anything; also Marmon, Chevrolet, Packard and others. 3441 Juniata. (c7)

DODGE—1920 4-door sedan; wire wheels, upholstery good, spare tire, bumper, hard to quick sale; $275; rear of 4340 Delmar bl.

DODGE—1

CCESSORIES

Touring Cars For Sale.

BUICK—touring, 1922, 5-pass.; in mechanical condition; good rubber; a quick; price low. Mackenzie-Ayres Automobile Co., 439 N. Euclid. Forest 626.

BUICK—Almost new; red sport touring; harassed owner leaving town; must sell immediately; no dealers; town car also. Bomont 2300 before 6 p. m.

1—1922—Buick touring, $365; perfect.

1—1924—Studebaker light "six", like new; also 1920, $275; perfect. UNIVERSAL, 3401 Locust st.

BUICK—Touring; just refinished in two others good; regular price $775, while Impl. & Auto Co., 19th and Locust.

BUICK—Beautiful, like new, 1924 6-cylinder touring; 2 extra tires; 2 bumpers; spot light; tonneau; rarest of the rare; $750; cash, terms, trade. 4253 Locust.

1924 BUICK FOUR

Touring car; has run 5000 miles; owner leaving town; must sell; terms; part trade; must see to appreciate. WILSON-JONES, 1730 Locust. Forest 43283.

Here It Is

BUICK 5 Pass. Touring

A beautiful Beige Brown, Xmas present. Come and see this certified standard make car; a small down payment and a year to pay; trade the old one; surprise the family for Xmas; open Sunday.

WILSON MOTOR CAR CO.
2921-27 Locust.

OH, LOOK!
Look! Buick Sprt!

Best buy in St. Louis for 3065. This sport model will make you a lover of Buicks. Has special upholstery, khaki rear sport trunk, rails, bumpers, 3 extra tires, owner going to a young fortune; must be sold quick; a dream; come quick; trade; terms. YAHLEM MOTOR COMPANY, 1035 N. Grand.

Biff! Bing! Bang!

300 USED CARS

$5 Down

Buick Trs. $250, $5 down. Pay $5 down, and a few dollars each week and we will store car for you free; storage charges, but not much. WHILE PRICES ARE DOWN.

10 FORDS ..... $100 to $250
5 DODGES ..... 100 to 275
6 BUICKS ..... 150 to 350
NASH 200
OAKLAND 175
CHEVROLET 175
JORDAN 350
MOON 175
HUDSON 350
PAIGE 395
TEMPLAR 395
HUP 395
CLEVELAND 450
MARMON 495
MAXWELL 250
OVERLAND 250
300 other used cars.

No interest, no extra charges; buy now while prices are down.
YAHLEM MOTOR CO., 1035 N. Grand.

YAHLEM
1035 NORTH GRAND BLVD.

CADILLAC 8—Touring, like new; $750. Packard, Marmon, etc. 3441 Juniata.

CADILLAC 4-passenger, model 57, brand; perfect condition; $650. Hotzmann 2339 S. Grand.

Look, 1923 Cadillac Sport
61 Z Phaeton Trg.

Mr. Yahlem's personal car; run about 6000 miles; has lots of extra equipment; can be bought at a big sacrifice; take your car in trade; easy terms.

YAHLEM MOTOR COMPANY,
1035 N. Grand.

CHEVROLET—1923 touring; $365; 1921 touring; $190; terms. 1805 Russell.

CHEVROLET—1923 touring; like new; $325; easy terms. Morris, 2810 Olive.

CHEVROLET—Coupe, very late; gas; perfect; a Big Four; $218 S. Jefferson.

CHEVROLET—Touring; late model car; buy; many extras; terms. Big Four, 2218 S. Jefferson.

CHEVROLET—1923 touring; rare new car; $500 down; $5 weekly; see it; open Sunday. GRAEFNER, 3418 Easton.

CHEVROLET TOURING.

1924 model; good equipment; original finish, like new; A1 condition; terms. Open Sunday and evenings.

CLINT MOTOR CAR CO.,
4710 Delmar bl. Forest 1506.

PRE-INVENTORY SALE.

1923 Chevrolet touring; A1 shape throughout; many accessories; $375; terms. DE LUXE, 3128 Locust. Bomont 2812.
Open All Day Sunday and Evenings.

CHEVROLET touring, 1924 touring; just like new; glass enclosure; heater; one 1924 Olds, 6-cylinder balloon tires, disc wheels, dirt cheap.

CLAY-BOLAND MOTOR SALES CO.,
2634 Locust st. Bomont 5113.

CHEVROLET—1924 touring; new-car guaranteed; used as demonstrator and in perfect condition; if you want a new car at a used car price, this is the one; only $450. What will you give? Terms, Macklin-Pardue, 6320 Delmar. Cabany 588.

1922 CHEVROLET, $149

This one runs perfectly; has special winter curtains; also 5 cord tires; don't delay; bring deposit; you will buy; open evenings and Sundays. Bomont 87.

MOON MOTOR CAR CO., 3115 LOCUST.

CHEVROLET TOURING

1923 model; very little service; very good car at a low price and easy terms.

WEST SIDE BUICK AUTO CO.,
5023 Delmar bl. Delmar 305.

NEW CHRYSLER

Driven less than 200 miles and carries 90-day guarantee; this is not a demonstrator; save money; open evenings and Sundays. Bomont 87.

MOON MOTOR CAR CO., 3115 LOCUST.

COLE 8 TOURING

1922 model; first-class condition and complete equipment; very low price and terms.

WEST SIDE BUICK AUTO CO.,
5023 Delmar bl. Delmar 305.

DAVIS—1918; A1 condition; $150 cash; many other makes. 3566 Easton.

DODGE—1922 touring; $195; Cole sport, $345; terms. 716 N. Vandeventer, (65)

DODGE—Touring; 1922; real bargain; terms. 3520 Easton.

1—1924—Dodge touring; 2000 miles; two 1923 models; cheap.

2—1923—Chevrolet touring; splendid condition; sacrificing.

1—1923—6-cylinder sport touring; perfect; like new; low. UNIVERSAL, 3401 Locust st.

1—Late Dodge touring; $235; also Buick touring, $235.

1—1923—Hupmobile sport touring; like new; 1 1921; perfect; cheap.

1—1923—Oldsmobile touring; $395; terms. Try to equal. UNIVERSAL, 3401 Locust st.

PRE-INVENTORY SALE.

Dodge touring; mechanically A1; enamel like new; was $2500; now $150; terms. DE LUXE, 3128 Locust. Bomont 2812.
Open All Day Sunday and Evenings.

DODGE TOURING

1922; high hood; excellent condition; well equipped; card tires; terms. ACTING-BUICK, 2837 N. Grand. Open Sunday evenings.

DORRIS—6-80 touring; a well-built car that has had the best of care; cheap; terms, trade. 1650 S. Jefferson.

DORT—Touring; 1923; like new; $450; terms. 3520 Easton.

DORT—Late touring; like new; bargain; terms; trade. Morris, 2810 Olive.

DORT 6, SPORT MODEL
Demonstrator

The Wonder Car; like new; a real treat to drive; oil-cushioned motor; full line of equipment; spacious, gray Spanish leather seats, Coupe and see; easy terms; trade; year to pay. Open Sunday.

WILSON MOTOR CAR CO.,
2921-27 Locust.

FLINT—Touring car; 55; will take Ford coupe as part payment. 2509 N. Grand.

ESSEX—Touring, 1921; like new, $395; bargain; terms. 3520 Easton.

FLINT—Run only few thousand miles; looks like new; trade, easy terms. See Mr. Miles, Southside Buick Auto Co., 3546 S. Grand. Grand 7000.

AUTOMOBILES

USED CAR SALE
MONDAY
Every Car Must Go This Week
3039 Locust Street
All Makes and Models
Make Us An Offer

Touring Cars For Sale

1924 FLINT TOURING

Motor and paint in excellent condition; new and rear bumpers; motormeter and 5 good tires.

W527 SIDE BUICK AUTO CO.,
2923 Delmar bl. Delmar 305.

FLINT TOURING

late model 5-passenger touring, with genuine winter curtains; has been driven very little; performs like a new car; equipped with disc wheels, front motometer, rear vision mirror and spotlight; you will find this car in good shape; $1195; cash or terms.

McNECE MOTOR CO., INC.,
3187 Delmar. Forest 888.

FORD—Tourpar; cheap for cash. 3700 Delmar. (c)

FORD—Late model touring; $200; terms. 2020 Laclede.

FORD—Touring, with starter; at a real low price. 2020 Olive. (c)

FORD—Touring, $25 takes it. 4229 W. Natural Bridge.

FORD—Touring, 1922, $60; 1919 touring, $35; terms. 3520 Easton.

FORD—Touring; 1923; starter, demountables; looks new; $155. 4965 Lotus.

FORD—Touring, $65; Roadster, $100; terms. 3547 W. Natural Bridge. (c)

FORD—1922 touring; 1000 extras; $135; $5 down. 2340 Olive. (7)

FORD—Touring, 1924, like new, $250; $1430; terms. 3567 Easton.

FORD—Touring; 1922; many extras; fine condition; $150. 3114 Cass.

FORD—Touring, 1921; cheap; trade or terms. 3547 S. Jefferson. (c)

FORD—Touring; trade for Victrola or motor cycle. 1608 S. 12th st.

FORDS—Touring car; $55 up; easy as starter; $35. Morris, 2810 Olive.

FORD—Touring; looks, runs like new; brine $55, drive home. 2735 Olive.

FORD—Touring, brand-new; $350, $100 down, terms. 720 Easton.

FORDS—60 touring cars; $35 up; easy terms. 3520 Easton.

FORDS—5 touring. 1923; like new, $450; each terms. 3520 Easton.

FORD—24, $60; others, $30; yours $5 week. Knights, 1512 Locust.

FORD—Touring, '21; $100; starter and wire wheels; good motor. 4968 Northland.

FORD—1924 touring; can be bought very cheap; slightly used. James Klikenbey, 4114 Chouteau. Grand 7743.

FORDS—8 touring cars, in A1 condition; prices right. Chase Garage, 221 York. Forest 8331. Forest 1452.

FORD—Touring, 1923; fine one-man top; extras; only $145; terms.
JOHNSON AUTO CO., 3667 Olive. (c2)

FORD—Touring, 1922; demountables, starter, 6 good tires; $150; terms. 3713 Cass av.

FORD—1922 touring; starter, demountables and motor. $165; $35 down. Open Monday evenings. Martin, 2410 Olive.

FORD—Touring, in condition to go anywhere; $85; terms. MacCarthy-Pardue, 6320 Delmar. Cabany 588. (80)

FORD—1921 touring; starter; $80; 1918 $35; Chevrolet, $55. 716 N. Vandeventer. (83)

FORD—1921; recently painted, overhauled; new pistons, battery, differential; a real buy; price $165. Edwards, Olive 1700.

FORDS—Touring; $80 to $215; excellent selection; small down payment, balance monthly.
JOHNSON AUTO CO., 3667 Olive. (c)

FORD—Tourings; finest selection in city; models, $122, '23, '24, $100 to $250; small down payment; $5 weekly. Hanni Motor Co., 4127 Olive.

FORDS—See Mendenhall. We have all makes and models; real bargains; reasonable terms. 2323 Locust. Open evenings.

FORD—1923 touring; fine motor, good tires, paint and upholstery; the price is right; terms. MacCarthy-Pardue, 6320 Delmar. Cabany 588. (80)

FORDS—Touring cars; 1922 to 1924 models; starter and demountables; many accessories; bargains at $125 to $185; cash or terms. Ayres Auto, 1418 N. Kingshighway.

FORD—Touring; runs good; extras; $25 cash. Ford touring, $35 down; Ford sedan, $45 down; Ford touring, $45; others; trade anything. 3141 Juniata. (c7)

FORDS—Touring, from $50 up; every one a bargain; small down payment, balance monthly. Tevis Motor, Ford Dealers, 3060-66 Locust. Open evenings and Sundays.

FORD—Touring; a good chance for an extra car; motor to make some money by using it; no time; only $50. Call or see No. 34 other touring bargains. Open Sundays and evenings. Carondelet Motor Co., 3847 S. Jefferson.

FORD—1924 touring, starter, speedometer, ride locking wheel, backing light, clear vision ventilating windshield, fitted with doors; winter curtains; all the many commonly used Ford for cold weather and summer; cars for sale. Open Monday morning. Morris, 2810 Olive.

FORD—1924 touring, 1923, '22, $135 up; every equipment.

FORD—1923 touring; 5-bearing; nearly new; $350; special 6 tourin; $685; Studebaker; special 6 touring; $685; fly wheel; superfine.
UNIVERSAL, 3401 Locust st.

PRE-INVENTORY SALE.

1921 Ford touring; runs good; was $150; now $85; terms.
DE LUXE, 3128 Locust. Bomont; 2812.
Open All Day Sunday and Evenings.

1922 FORD, $135

Starter, wheel lock, Hasslers, etc.; car in excellent condition throughout; see it Sunday evenings and Sundays. Bomont 87.

MOON MOTOR CAR CO., 3115 LOCUST.

FORD TOURING

1922, 1923, 1924 models; real bargains; terms; trade. KUHS-BUICK, 2837 N. Grand. Open Sunday and evenings.

READ THIS
Yahlem's Latest Idea

300 USED CARS

$5 DOWN

Ford	$ 80
Dodge	98
Chevrolet	100
Maxwell	150
Oakland	85
Buick	98
Paige	375
Jordan	185
Hudson	$250
Haynes	295
National	475
Moon	275
Stutz	375
Paige	575
Gardner	295
Winton	275

Pay $5 down and a few dollars each week until you have $50, $75 or $100 down, then take car out. Five stories. No interest charged. You can't beat Yahlem's prices.

YAHLEM
Open all day Sunday.

FRANKLIN TOURING, 5-PASS.

Motor, A1 tires, upholstery, like new; completely overhauled; newly finished with gasmobile curtains; a bargain. FRANKLIN MOTOR CO.,
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Ford touring; equipped with starter and upholstering; $5040A Enright; price very reasonable.

Touring Cars For Sale

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3032 LOCUST

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One-ton stake body; new tires; good running condition; bargain; terms to suit purchaser. Open Sunday and evenings.
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With box body and cab; pneumatic tires; 30 per cent in A1 shape; $235.
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3½-ton White stake body; good condition.$650
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Essex Coach, late 1924; practically new; $750.

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Hupmobile Sedan. This car is in perfect condition. Like giving it away; $625.

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Ford Sedan; two-door; can't be told from new; $335.

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Post-Dispatch Want Ad Phone, Olive 6600. Solid agate, 25c line, daily or Sun. Rooms Wanted, Hotels, Roommates, Country and Suburban Board, 20c line daily, 30c Sun.; display 35c daily, 45c Sun. Out-of-town agate, 35c daily 40c Sun.; display 40c daily, 55c Sun. Discounts per line: Agate—3 times, 1c; 7 times, 2c; 30 times, daily 2c, Sun. 2c. Display—3 times, 1c; 7 times, daily 2c, Sun. 3c; 30 times, daily 3c, Sun. 3c.

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Northwest

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South

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CATES, 5030—Room, board; conveniences; 2 employed; rear; private family. (c7)

CATES, 5807—Newly furnished room; exceptionally good meals; refined people; references. Parkview 2274W.

CHOUTEAU, 4214—Front room; with or without board.

CLEMENS, 5804—Front room with board; private family, for 2 employed. Cabany 7323W (c)

DELMAR, 4364—Rooms and board; all conveniences. Delmar 4450M.

DELMAR BL., 5025—Good board; steam heat $7.50 week.

DELMAR BL., 5841—Clean, warm rooms; home cooking. $5. (c)

DELMAR, 3909—2 children to board; good home. Lindell 2452 M. (c1)

ELM, 7366 (Maplewood)—One nicely furnished room, in private family; with or without board.

ENRIGHT, 5082A—Neatly furnished room in private home, with or without board; reference. Forest 5335W. (c)

ENRIGHT, 5745—Room and board; first-class, extra large room; suitable for gentlemen; steam heat; excellent meals; rates reasonable. Phone Delmar 2920W.

KENSINGTON, 5059—Refined settled lady for companion and small room.

KENSINGTON—Large room; excellent meals; one or two employed. (c)

LACLEDE, 4364—Room, board; $7.50; conveniences, steam heat; home cooking.

LINDELL BL., 4343, 1st floor west—Good meals. Delmar 4037R. (c)

LINDELL BL., 3942—Beautiful, steam heated, single, double rooms; modern conveniences, home cooking; excellent service. (c6)

LINDELL BL., 4140—Lindell Hall—rooms for girls employed; beautiful house; excellent meals; parlor; piano; modern.

McMILLAN, 4028—Room, good meals; gentlemen or employed couple reasonable.

McMILLAN, 4546A—Lovely home, excellent board; two employed. $9. Delmar 4770W.

McPHERSON 4124A—Steam-heated room with board, 1 or 2. (c)

McPHERSON, 3943—Large room, steam heat; good meals; 2 employed.

McPHERSON, 4474—Warm rooms; home cooking; private. Delmar 373. (c)

McPHERSON, 4305—Newly furnished room; steam heat, elegant meals. Call Forest 7496. (c)

McPHERSON, 4618—Steam heat, hot water, garage, lady or gentleman. Forest 7496. (c)

MAPLE, 5711—1 gentleman; excellent home cooking; continuous hot water. (c)

MAPLE, 5053—Best room and board in city; $9 and $10 per week. Parkview 0238W

MAPLE, 5941—Well furnished; near bath; employed; near 2 car lines. Cabany 0434M.

MINERVA, 5218—2d floor front room with board; modern conveniences.

MINERVA, 5333—Steam-heated room; private home; board optional.

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PAGE BL., 4022—Room, excellent board for two; reasonable.

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PAGE BL., 4541A—With or without board; private family. Delmar 3678M. Page-Taylor cars, bus line.

PERSHING, 5715—Pleasant room; refinement, with board, for nurse employed; references. Forest 8051W

RAYMOND, 5237—Room and board; hot-water heat; reasonable. Phone Delmar 5303W. (c33x)

ROOM AND BOARD—For 2 girls willing to share room together. Forest 6353W

ROOM AND BOARD—For 3 people employed. Cabany 4810R.

ROOM AND BOARD—Front; for 2; in modern apartment with couple; excellent meals; reasonable. Cabany 3721.

ROOM AND BOARD—Large, bright, warm room, single beds; good, plentiful, wholesome home cooking; terms. Delmar 2961

ROOM AND BOARD—38th west of Easton; business woman; with private family. Cabany 3261J.

ROOM AND BOARD—For 2; Catholic girls employed; references; Jan. 1. Benton 1950J. (c)

ROOM AND BOARD—Children wanted to board; mother's care; private family. Forest 3914W.

ROOM AND BOARD—Large, attractive room; board; home of refinement; exclusive neighborhood; references; gentlemen or couple. Forest 3816.

ROOM AND BOARD—For 2 adults, in handsome residence in select neighborhood; large front room; good table; Maryland or University cars. Delmar 1346 (c)

ROOM AND BOARD—Private family offers for accommodations to one or two guests, superior heat, southern exposure; Linden 109 passes door; Easton, Maryland car; reasonable. Delmar 1814J

UNION BL., 1484—Good board, hot-water heat; with congenial people.

VAGO, 1456—Comfortable room for 2, 3 or 4; excellent meals; privileges; reasonable. Forest 7480. (c7)

VERNON, 5206—Front room; good board; hot-water heat; $7.

VERNON, 5742—Large front room; best home cooking. Forest 4241M. (c)

VERNON, 5263—Lovely 2d floor room with board for 2; also 3d floor; 3 beds; excellent meals; homelike. Forest 639. (c2)

WALTON, 1215—Front room and board for working girl; laundry included. $5 week. Delmar 5631.

WASHINGTON BL., 3706—Double room; hot water; good board. (c)

WASHINGTON BL., 4604—Front room; twin beds; exceptional meals. (c)

WASHINGTON, 4803—Nice front sleeping room; kitchen privileges, also single sleeping room.

WASHINGTON BL., 4800A—Nice room and board for two; $8 each. Delmar 4807J.

WASHINGTON BL., 4252—Large front room, well furnished; board; everything new, clean, purely hot water; heat; phone; Olive and Hellmann cars.

WASHINGTON BL., 4045—Warm single and double rooms; excellent meals; reasonable.

WASHINGTON BL., 5029—Large south room suitable for 3; also 2 single rooms; good home cooking; owner's home; reasonable.

WATERMAN, 5202—Nearly furnished room; strictly private home; breakfast optional. Forest 2368W. (c)

WATERMAN, 5005—Large front, with running hot water; suitable for 3; also small room or 2 connecting rooms; excellent table; beautiful home; University car. (c8)

WEST PINE BL., 4362—Excellent meals or room; 3 baths; 1 private; reasonable. Lindell 2263J.

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HALL ROOM—Also front room; reasonable. Cabany 2404J.

ROOMS—2 and kitchenette; large and small sleeping. Delmar 5541W. (c)

ROOM—Two light housekeeping. Cabany 2479R.

ROOMS—Two; modern, for light housekeeping.

McKADY REALTY CO., 6128 Easton av. Cabany 0717.

Central

Alcazar Hotel, 3127 Locust. Clean, $1 day; weekly rates; tub, shower baths, garage. (c8)

BELL, 3521—Hallroom; near Grand; steam heat; very reasonable.

BELL, 3563—Housekeeping room; light; steam heat; range, electric; laundry.

BELL, 3630—Neatly furnished rooms, complete, kitchenette; good heat; reasonable.

BELL, 3632—Newly furnished rooms for light housekeeping; connecting; $4 and $5; steam heat; electric. Bell 2700W.

BELL, 3640—2 connecting rooms; unfurnished; heat, bath, electric; gas; couple of adults; no children; just east of Grand; convenient to cars.

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LOCUST, 1106—Large and small rooms, sleeping or light housekeeping.

LOCUST, 2902-04—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; steam heat; all conveniences.

MILL, 2728—Room, on 2d floor, for man and wife, in private family.

OLIVE, 2119—2 rooms, $6 week; single, $2 week; cost furnished; 2d floor.

WASH, 1825A—Two large, sunny, front housekeeping, $2.50 up; electric bath.

WASHINGTON, 2114—Sleeping and housekeeping, $2.50 up.

North

ATHLONE, 4252A—First-class room in private family, for 1 or 2 gentlemen or couple employed; conveniences; reference. Bell 2442R. (c7)

BACON, 1713—Modern 3-room single flat; bath, gas electric, furnace.

BAILEN, 520, 2 rooms, light housekeeping; 3 rooms, light housekeeping.

BLASE, 3344—Sleeping room; private family; gentleman preferred; evenings; all conveniences.

CLARENCE, 4134—Furnished room.

COLEMAN, 1924—Nicely furnished room; private family; reasonable.

COTTAGE, 3628A—Sleeping room for 2; Lindell 4227W.

DODIER, 3647A—Neatly furnished rooms; other floor from Grand; 2 other car lines.

ELEVENTH, 4325, 3 furnished rooms for housekeeping.

FARRAGUT, 1914—Two housekeeping rooms, furnished or unfurnished; gas, electric; water; reasonable.

FOURTEENTH, 3908 N.—Steam-heated room.

GRAND, 2305 N.—First floor housekeeping room; furnace heat; electric.

GRAND, 1221—Large housekeeping room; conveniences; hot water; $7.50.

GRAND, 2539 N.—Furnished room, and kitchen; hot water and heat; $7.50; 2d floor; sleeping room, $4.50. (c)

GRUBE, 3833—Light housekeeping room, use of bath, hot water and phone; $4.50 per week; breakfast if desired.

HERBERT, 1174—Two housekeeping rooms, first floor; light rooms, very clean; hot water heat; $8.50.

KENNERLY, 3918—Housekeeping rooms, gas, electric, hot water; conveniences.

LARADIE, 4021A—Large ballroom; gentlemen; southern exposure; conveniences.

LARAINE, 3851A—Large room for 2 gentlemen; also 1 gentleman; 2 beds; private family; reasonable.

MADISON, 1430—Nicely furnished room; private family; reasonable.

MADISON, 2942—Large, well-heated furnished room; private bath; phone. (c)

NEW ASHLAND INN, 3138—2 furnished housekeeping rooms; clean; conveniences.

NEWSTEAD, 2918 N.—Nicely furnished housekeeping room; conveniences.

NORTH MARKET, 2011—Housekeeping room; furnace heat; hot water.

NORTH MARKET, 2509—Connecting housekeeping room; adults; gas, bath; electric light; $5.

PECK, 4020—Steam-heated room. Tyler 0026R.

ROOMS—2, furnished, heated for man in private family; breakfast if desired; 2 car lines. Call Colfax 5905W.

ST. FERDINAND, 3725—2 rooms, modern conveniences; adults.

ST. LOUIS, 4323—Furnished room; kitchen, heat and phone privileges; $7.50.

SALISBURY, 5516A—2 rooms, cheap; will be there Saturday a. m. and Sunday a. m. (7

TAYLOR, 1508A N.—Furnished front room; all modern conveniences.

TAYLOR, 1535 N.—Room and kitchen; other heat and light. Delmar 1219.

TENTH, 2619 N.—One front room, for light housekeeping.

TWENTY-THIRD, 3015 N.—2 connecting rooms, housekeeping $6. Before 9.

WASHINGTON BL., 3636—Nicely furnished rooms.

WASHINGTON BL., 3800A—Sleeping room, $20 per month; conveniences; $5 week. Delmar 4897W

WRIGHT, 1853—One nice light housekeeping room; gas, electric and sink.

Northwest

ASHER, 3306—2 rooms, $5; furnished, $7; self furniture, $20; gas, electric, water. Central 150.

ALSACE, 4070—2 furnished or unfurnished, all modern conveniences; adults.

BELT, 1613—2 cozy housekeeping rooms; private entrance; gas range, sink, telephone.

CORA, 1526—Front room and kitchen, complete; phone, private; $18.

COTE BRILLIANTE, 5804A—3-room flat; gas, bath; newly decorated.

COTE BRILLIANTE, 5211—2 connecting furnished housekeeping rooms; modern conveniences.

GANO, 5831—2 or 3 furnished housekeeping rooms; private home.

GARFIELD, 5067—2 unfurnished rooms; kitchen and bedroom; heat, light and gas; reasonable.

MARCUS, 3063—Furnished room and kitchen; hot water and heat; $6.50 per week. Forest 6126W

ROOM—Front, small; $3 per week with heat. Colfax 0126W

ROOM—Large front, also hall room, for gentlemen; gas, electric, heat; corner. Forest 4774W

SEMPLE, 1854—2 or front housekeeping room; hot water; conveniences; $6.50.

SMILE, 1643—2 connecting rooms for housekeeping; modern; and furnished; no objection to children; 5400 west; Wellston car.

THEODOSIA, 5914—1, 2 or 3 rooms for housekeeping.

THEODOSIA, 5889—Cozy housekeeping rooms; adults; hot-water heat; reasonable.

THRISH, 5406—rooms, gas, electric; hot and cold water; $15 per month.

WASHINGTON, 3003A N.—Newly furnished room; gentleman only.

UNION, 2705—All conveniences; two unfurnished rooms; first floor north.

South

ACCOMAC, 2844—Newly furnished housekeeping rooms, couple employed, bus service.

ALBION PL., 2351—Room, light housekeeping; steam heat; conveniences; reasonable.

ALLEN, 1109A—Large room and kitchen; gas; second floor.

ALLEN, 2138—Room for 1 or 2; board optional.

ARSENAL, 3308—Small furnished room; meals if desired.

ARSENAL, 3512—Room, nicely furnished; convenient; gentleman. Sidney 1413J

ARSENAL, 4300 — 2 nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping; hot-water heat; private entrance.

ARSENAL, 4844—Second floor front room; two people employed; hot-water heat; breakfast if desired; also hallroom for single gentleman.

BOTANICAL, 3969A—Neatly furnished room; all conveniences; private home. Grand 1147W

BOTANICAL, 3211A—Nice, comfortable, for ladies employed; convenient to 3 cars.

BROADWAY, 2206 S.—Neatly furnished room for light housekeeping.

BROADWAY, 1542 S.—Two rooms, furnished for housekeeping; $5 and $6.

BROADWAY, 1272 S.—Connecting furnished housekeeping rooms, $5 and $6.

CALIFORNIA, 2226A—3 rooms, furnished; gas, bath; reasonable; adults.

CARDINAL, 1019 S.—3 rooms, gas, electric; decorated; rear; $18.

CAROLINE, 2806—Light housekeeping rooms; reasonable prices.

CAROLINE, 2905—Nice sleeping room; all conveniences.

CASTLEMAN, 4244—Two housekeeping rooms $9; children welcome.

CHIPPEWA, 3306A—Newly furnished room; heat; private; for other roomers.

CHOUTEAU (near Kingshighway)—Southern room adjoining bath; kitchen privileges or share 3-room apartment; Grand 1267W

DOLMAN, 1218—Furnished 3d f. apartments; suitable 3 adults; steam heat; all conveniences. Victor 4044W

EADS, 2022—Two nice light housekeeping rooms.

EADS, 2023A—Lovely furnished front room; housekeeping private family.

FLAD, 3819A—Neatly furnished room, 2 gentlemen employed; kitchen.

FOLSOM, 3824A—Neatly furnished room; convenient; private. Grand 5832W (c)

FOUNTAIN, 3619—Nice room for 2 rooms, steam heat; new; modern; etc.

FOUNTAIN, 4071—Warm furnished rooms, sleeping or housekeeping.

GEYER, 2751—Housekeeping rooms; conveniences; couple employed; no children.

GRAVOIS, 5741A—Gentleman or couple employed; refined family; heat. (c)

GRAVOIS, 4246A S.—Steam-heated light housekeeping rooms; reasonable. Sidney 2314M

GRAND, 1175A S.—Warm, comfortable room; home cooking; 1 or 2 gentlemen; reasonable.

GRAND BL., 20xx S.—Room in modern flat; private family; desirable location. Grand 9003.

ROOMS FOR RENT—South

GRAND BL., 5211A S.—Neatly furnished front; conveniences; no other roomers; board optional; references. Riverside 2285M.

HAGERTY A., 3510—Front room in private family; all conveniences. (c9)

INDIANA, 2928—2 large rooms, bath; electric and gas.

INDIANA, 2706—3 rooms and bath; with or without garage.

INDIANA, 2809—One or two housekeeping rooms; conveniences; reasonable. (c11)

JEFFERSON, 3117 N.—Nice front room; private family; reasonable.

JEFFERSON, 2134 S.—Sleeping room for one or two.

JEFFERSON, 2018 S.—2 rooms, furnished; adults. Phone Victor 3780M.

JEFFERSON, 1814 S.—One or two housekeeping rooms for adults; employed; gas.

JUNIATA, 3962—Newly furnished, heated; $20. Grand 2712M.

LAFAYETTE, 2610—Furnished, steam-heated rooms; gents only.

LAFAYETTE, 2743—Sleeping room; $10 week.

LAFAYETTE, 2744—2 furnished rooms, housekeeping; hot-water heat; $8.50.

LAFAYETTE, 1705—2 front housekeeping rooms; 2 gentlemen.

LAFAYETTE, 2855—Housekeeping or furnished room, with couple employed; $7 per week.

LAFAYETTE, 2806—Room for light housekeeping; also sleeping with heat; also garage.

LAFAYETTE, 1358—Handy front room; light housekeeping; $4.50 week; large, light front sleeping room, 2 beds, hot water heat; reasonable.

LA SALLE, 3544—Brick cottage, toilet, bath; $20, with garage, $25. (c2)

LYNCH, 1305—Two rooms, kitchen and bath; $22.

McKEAN, 3542—Front room, $5; all conveniences; 2 cars. Grand car line. (c)

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MICHIGAN, 1713—Room, private family; reasonable.

MICHIGAN, 1730—Furnished room for housekeeping; steam heat.

MISSOURI, 1761—Nicely furnished front room; bath; phone; all conveniences; also garage. (c7)

MISSOURI, 1756—Modern connecting housekeeping rooms; hot-water heat; reasonable; adults; 15 minutes from Union Station; 3 car lines.

NEBRASKA, 2915A—Furnished front housekeeping room; 2 persons; family.

NEBRASKA, 1700—2 or 3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping; newly papered; $25.

NICHOLSON PL., 1727—Large housekeeping rooms, with kitchenettes, well heated. Victor 4179R.

OREGON, 1709—Housekeeping room; private flat; $12.

OREGON, 2937A—Modern furnished room, furnace heat; every convenience; reasonable.

OREGON, 1918A—Two connecting, clean furnished housekeeping rooms; sink, bath; electric; gas; heat; reasonable.

PARK, 2043—Room and kitchenette, with private entrance; heat; conveniences.

PARK, 2013—Heated front room, furnished for housekeeping.

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PARK, 2317A—Connecting, sleeping or housekeeping rooms; all conveniences.

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PARK, 3304 2 and 3 connecting rooms, for light housekeeping.

PARK, 2935—One large room and kitchen; heat and gas included. Victor 4468.

PARK, 3116—Furnished front room for gentlemen; always comfortable; also 1st-floor front room; suitable for 3.

PARK, 3539—Unusually large room, suitable for 3 men; steam heat; southern exposure; reasonable.

PENNSYLVANIA, 1615—Sleeping room, furnished; furnace heat and bath.

PESTALOZZI, 2616—Furnished connecting or sleeping, housekeeping room; $30; also single room, $20.

ROOM—Housekeeping, 3 connecting, $30 week; South Side. Call 2955J.

ROOM—Warm room, pretty apartment; 4015W.

ROOM—Furnished, front; always comfortable; $4 week. Sidney 1405W. (c)

RUSSELL, 3922—Nicely furnished, heated room; two car lines and bus. (c63)

RUSSELL, 3806—Room for light housekeeping; steam heat; reasonable.

RUSSELL, 3644—Nice front room, with housekeeping; heat, private home.

RUSSELL, 3634—Hall room for 1 man; $3.

RUSSELL, 2844—Light housekeeping rooms; also sleeping; furnished; heat.

RUSSELL, 2644—Light housekeeping rooms, 2 and 3; private home; conveniences; phone; owner's home.

SANGE, 1127—Sleeping, furnished rooms, kitchenettes; $5 adults. (c63)

SEVENTH, 3002—Nicely furnished housekeeping rooms; reasonable. Call today.

SHENANDOAH, 3927A—Large room, 2 beds; $4 per week. Grand 2180M. (c62)

SHENANDOAH, 4032A—Newly furnished front room in private home; 1 or 2 gentlemen employed; steam heat; phone; reasonable. (c)

SIDNEY, 2032—Front room and board; conveniences; $4 week. Sidney 4419J.

SIDNEY, 3041A—Neatly furnished for gentlemen; housekeeping or gentlemen; convenience.

SIMPSON PL., 1755—Block south of Lafayette; 2 rooms, exceptionally clean, well furnished second floor front room and kitchen; complete use of housekeeping; cards 10c; telephone; no children.

TWELFTH, 2300 S.—Room and kitchen for housekeeping; electric, steam heat.

VERMONT, 3241—3 rooms, all modern conveniences $30.

Southwest

ROOMS—Connecting housekeeping conveniences; reasonable. Grand 5466R (c)

ROOMS—3, furnished; Protestant owner; board with Box K-38 P.-D.

STANLEY, 4538—Room in bungalow for 2 gentlemen or couple employed; breakfast and Sunday dinner if desired. Benton 1343J

West

BARTMER, 6040—Front bay, kitchenette, bath; $35-37 week adults employed.

BARTMER, 6128A—2 large unfurnished housekeeping room; all conveniences.

BAYARD, 1102—Heated unfurnished room, light; bath; gas furnished. Forest 8911J.

BAYARD, 748—Nicely furnished or unfurnished rooms; rent $6.50.

BLAIRMONT, 1391—2 rooms, completely furnished for light housekeeping; hot water, light and telephone; $10 week. Cabany 3314R.

BOYLE, 3928A N.—Steam-heated; housekeeping optional; single, connecting.

BURD, 1358—Two rooms, furnished, two in family; $18. Forest 6118W

CABANNE, 5156—Housekeeping rooms, 2 rooms furnished; well heated, $8.

CABANNE, 5201—Room and board in refined home; 2 gentlemen or employed couple; private family.

CABANNE, 5188—Two lovely sleeping rooms with kitchenette; continuous hot water; garage; private home. Forest 4390.

CATES, 5126A—Two attractive housekeeping rooms; hot-water heat. (c)

CATES, 5105—Beautiful steam heated room; $4 board optional.

CATES, 5157—Furnished, 1 or 2 rooms, for light housekeeping.

CATES, 5008—Comfortable front housekeeping room; sun, hot water. (2)

CATES, 5011A—South front room; good home; conveniences. Forest 3679J

CATES, 5004—Large front room, suitable for 3; also sleeping room; reasonable. Call today.

CATES, 5130A—Two large, light, clean housekeeping rooms; all conveniences; private family.

CATES, 5055—Large front room, couple or gentlemen; private family. Cabany 3211R.

CATES, 5051—Nicely furnished housekeeping or sleeping rooms, $4 per week. Forest 3679J.

CLARA, 725—Steam-heated front, double or single; employed people.

CLEMENS, 6317—2d floor; nicely furnished room; private family; apartment house.

CLEMENS, 5661—Room, hot-water heat, private family. Cabany 3726M.

COOK, 3046—2 furnished housekeeping rooms; heated; 6c children.

COOK, 3011—3 connecting, third floor; housekeeping rooms; 2 double beds, with rent separate.

DE HODIAMONT, 327—Second floor north; newly furnished room, with adjoining bath. (c)

DELAWARE, 1113—2 desirable housekeeping rooms; gas range, sink, continuous hot water; electric; heat included; $30.

DELMAR BL., 6204—ROOMS, FURNISHED, UNFURNISHED; STEAM HEAT; LADIES; MONDAY.

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DELMAR BL., 3930—Room and board $8; meals $5. Lindell 6722W

DELMAR BL., 4264—Nice housekeeping rooms; reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 51xx—Room, apartment to select tenant. Forest 3057. (2)

DELMAR BL., 4008A—Large room and kitchenette; $6.50; steam heat.

DELMAR BL., 5044—Connecting housekeeping rooms, double beds; reasonable. Forest 3082 heat; reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 4149—Connecting front room, $7.50; others, $5; conveniences; phone.

DELMAR BL., 4240—Small housekeeping room; gas; owner's home; reference required; adults; garage optional. $5.

DELMAR BL., 5049—Most beautiful large front room, finely furnished for business man; private bachelor quarters; somewhat different; real comforts of home. (c63)

DELMAR BL., 4170A—Large front, suitable 2 or 3; private family.

DELMAR BL., 4726—Front room, kitchenette; housekeeping, $6; $6.50; conv.

DELMAR BL., 4239—2 connecting housekeeping rooms; running water; gas.

DELMAR BL., 3945—Small heated housekeeping room; owner's home; $8.

DELMAR BL., 3892—Connecting rooms; 2d floor front; 2 beds.

DELMAR BL., 4172—Sleeping, housekeeping rooms; 3d floor; gas ranges. (2)

DELMAR BL., 3810—2, 3 or 4 rooms, connected.

DELMAR BL., 4419—Connecting rooms; housekeeping; gas range; water; $20.

DELMAR BL., 3805—2-room suite; piano; bath, kitchenette; steam heat.

DELMAR BL., 3970—Large, first-class room; 2 gentlemen; reasonable. (2)

DELMAR BL., 6072—2 or 3 connecting rooms for housekeeping; plenty of heat.

DELMAR, 4237—2 connecting housekeeping rooms; 2 adults.

DELMAR BL., 5023A—Large, warm room; twin beds; modern conveniences.

DELMAR BL., 5743A—Desirable front room; steam heat; small family.

DELMAR BL., 4237—Connecting front housekeeping rooms; warm; hot water.

DELMAR BL., 4235—Nicely furnished, newly papered front room; $6.

DELMAR BL., 5040A—Large front room for housekeeping; reasonable; 2 gentlemen; private family.

DELMAR BL., 5026—Rooms for housekeeping; large room, kitchenette; gas range; hot water; $6.50.

DELMAR BL., 4876A—Nice furnished front room; gentlemen employed; private.

DELMAR, 5890—Lovely furnished front room; gentlemen, or ladies employed; steam heat; wood floor west.

DELMAR BL., 5125—Large, furnished room for sleeping or light housekeeping.

DELMAR BL., 4470A—Nicely furnished room; housekeeping and sleeping; private home; modern. Delmar 5335W.

DELMAR BL., 4052—Warm; furnished housekeeping; $4; housekeeping, $5; respectable employed adults; garage optional. $5.

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EASTON, 4222A—2 light housekeeping rooms; bath; electric.

EASTON, 4428A—Large front room, unfurnished; housekeeping; bath, gas, electric. (c)

EASTON, 4233—Two nicely furnished light housekeeping rooms; $5.50; children welcome. Call in town.

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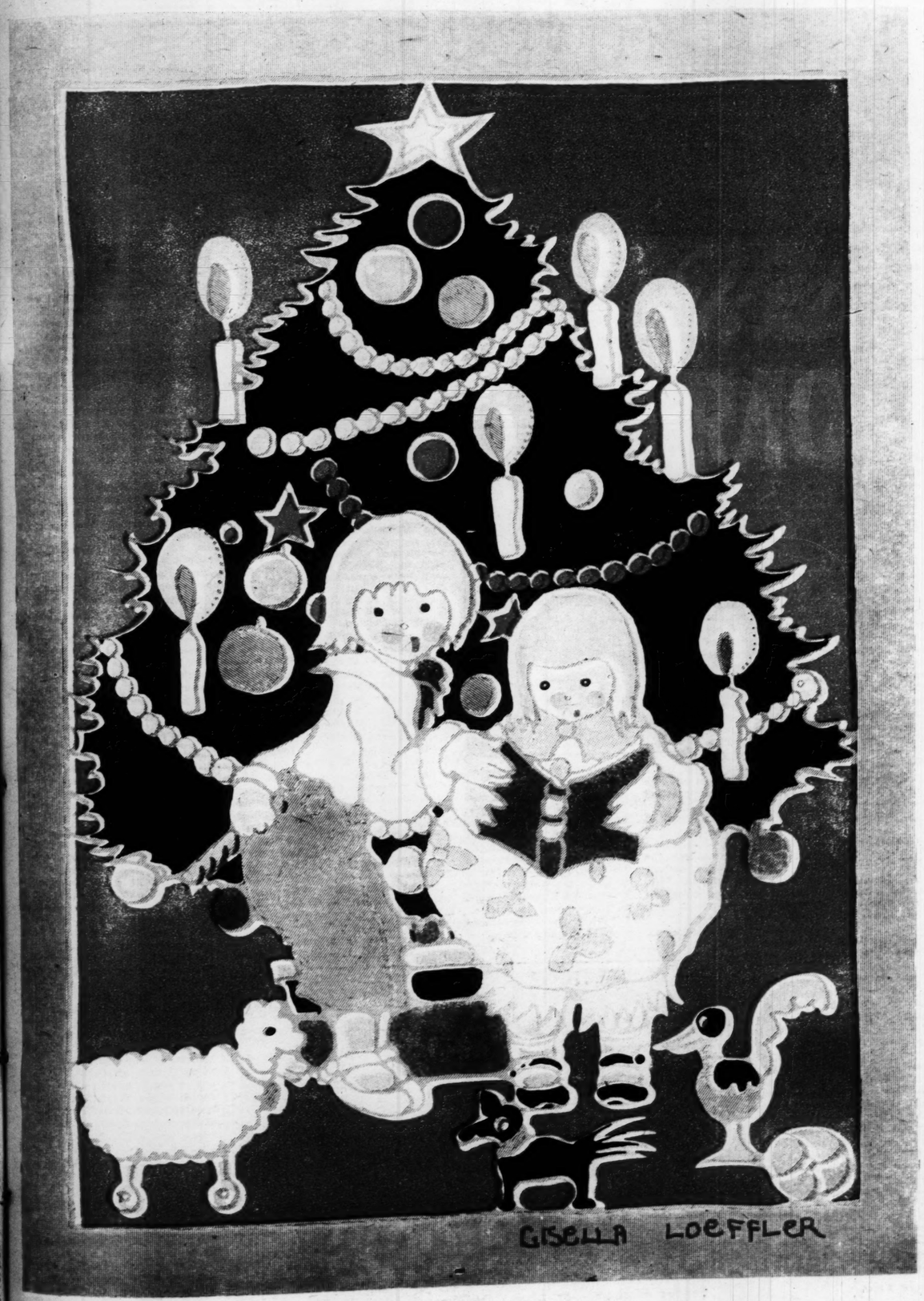

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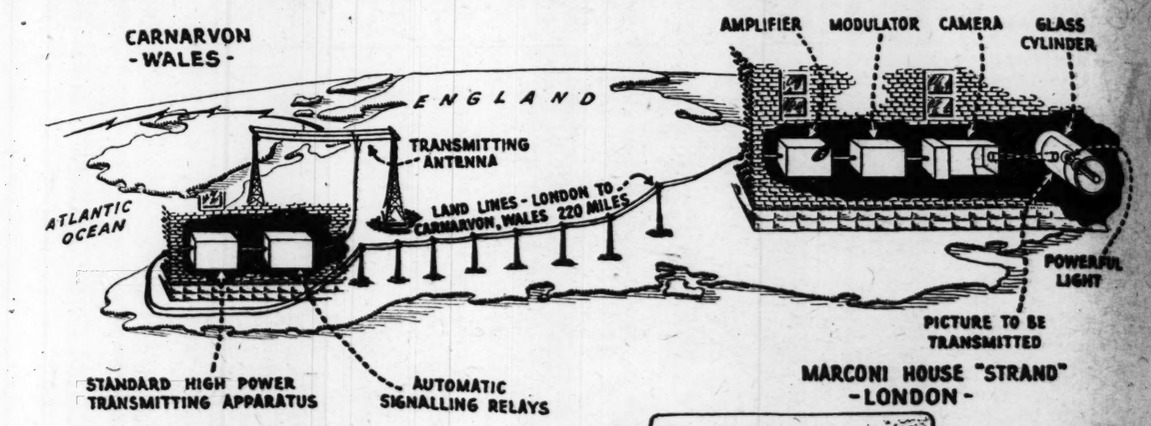

Sketch of transmission plan in England by which radio waves were made to guide a fountain pen in New York.

Further details of process which makes it possible for an apparatus in London to guide a fountain pen in New York and reproduce the actual photograph used in transmission test—Progress in new science first demonstrated by the Post-Dispatch and New York World several years ago :: :: :: ::

SEVERAL years have elapsed since that Sunday night when a photograph on a revolving cylinder, in the Post-Dispatch editorial rooms, was transmitted over wires by electricity to the editorial offices of the New York World and there successfully reproduced by the Belin system. That was the first transmission of pictures, over any distance, in the United States.

While men in laboratories have worked month after month, in an endeavor to still further perfect the process, other electrical engineers plugged away at the same general problem, but along different lines of thought. Then, during the two national political conventions last summer, the experts of the American Telephone and Telegraph Co. brought forth still another method of transmitting photographs by wire—this time using silenium cells as the basis for securing modulated electric waves to correspond to variations in light waves. With those efforts readers of the Post-Dispatch are familiar through reproduction in the news columns of convention photographs transmitted by that method.

Still more recently, the public was informed of the successful transmission of pictures across the Atlantic, not over a metal circuit as had been previously used, but by means of radio waves. This new device differs from the other two processes in that photographs, as such, are not really reproduced, but instead a very clever pen and ink drawing which has as its course, however, an actual photograph.

As this again involves something new in this latest science, a more detailed description than has as yet been printed will follow.

For the actual operation of the transmitter, the picture, printed matter or whatever is to be sent, is first photographed on an ordinary camera film. This is developed and then placed on a glass cylinder, being held firmly in place by metal clips. The picture is now ready to be transmitted.

Inside this glass cylinder is an incandescent lamp, the light from which is focused in a minute beam onto the film as the cylinder is set in motion. As the light and dark portions of the picture are traversed by the light beam, the intensity of the ray is changed. This ever-changing beam, after having passed through the film, is again focused through another lens outside the cylinder onto the sensitive element of a photo-electric cell, a recent development of the General Electric Co., which transforms the light waves into electrical impulses or waves, which can be transmitted by radio much the same as a regular dash and dot message.

This photo-electric cell is commonly spoken of in the laboratory as the "eye" of the transmitter. The electrical resistance of this cell changes in accordance with the amount of light which falls upon it, and in this way takes care of the shading of the picture in transmission. The photo-electric cell functions practically without any lost motion. That is, the instant the slightest change in the amount of light reaches the cell a corresponding change in the output current of the cell takes place. In this way the "eye" of the transmitter is able to "see" even the tiniest light variations; in fact, the "eye" sees and records electrically millions of different current impulses as the film sweeps by the light beam from inside the cylinder.

The actual pen and ink reproductions of photographs of Coolidge and Hughes, as they were traced by a fountain pen in New York guided by radio waves originating in London.

The photo-electric cell is, therefore, responsible for reproducing an infinite number of different electric current values which correspond with the light or dark areas of the picture being transmitted.

In order to cover all of the original film, the glass cylinder is rotated back and forth and in this way the entire surface is eventually exposed to the piercing light beam. The film rotates through an angle equal to the width of the picture and the electric camera itself advances down the length of the picture one notch at a time. Thus, line upon line, the whole picture is covered.

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The elaborate receiving apparatus in New York.

The development of the photoradiogram transmitter has purposely been carried on in connection with the established radio transmitting station, now engaged in sending radiograms daily between Europe and America. Thus the new device does not require the preparation of any special radio circuits for efficient operation.

At Riverhead, L. I., in the Radio Corporation's central receiving station, the operator tunes in to the Carnarvon station. He receives the picture just the same as he would a radiogram, but instead of dots and dashes which he can read he receives an undecipherable series of impulses. These pass through a bank of vacuum tube amplifiers and are then sent by land wire to the laboratory of the Radio Corporation located in the building in Broad street.

Here this unintelligible code, carrying the photograph, is translated back into black and white, recording the original picture much in the style of a stippled engraving.

This device in RCA laboratory (the final operation involved between transmitter and receiver) decodes, or unscrambles, the complex photo message, giving each individual electrical pulse of energy a definite task to perform in reassembling the picture.

The picture is reproduced in duplicate at the receiver, both on a paper record and on a photographic film. The paper upon which the record is made is wrapped about a rotating cylinder, which, in size and appearance much resembles the early type war phonograph record. A specially constructed fountain pen bears against this just as the needle of the phonograph does on a record. The pen is attached the an electrically controlled lever in such a way that every pulse of electrical current which passes through the magnet coils of the relay lever draws the pen to the surface of the paper, making a fine ink mark. A changing current fed through the magnet coils causes the pen to wiggle in step with the current impulses, thus giving the artistic stippling effect in the reproduced picture.

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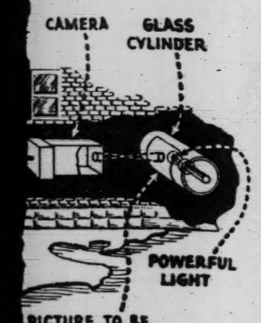

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Mrs. McClintock, after her period of mourning, was courted by an eligible suitor. They became engaged. She was planning her second marriage when she died. The boy, then about 5 years old, inherited the McClintock millions, to be held in trust for him until he reached the age of 21. Meanwhile, the millions were growing.

W. D. Shepherd had been his father's closest friend. He became the boy's guardian and the manager of the estate. He and Mrs. Shepherd became foster parents to the rich little orphan. William was known as "the millionaire orphan." He was brought up most carefully. The Shepherds, well aware of the hoodoo element in the family history, took special pains to protect their ward. He was surrounded with every safeguard suggested by the situation. A Crown Prince hardly could be more carefully looked after than was this Chicago orphan.

The Shepherds were careful of his moral and spiritual welfare, as well as of his material interests. They brought him up with a view to making him a good and useful citizen, and "Billy" McClintock's friends knew him as a youth of most excellent qualities of head and heart. The millions held in trust for him did not spoil the boy. He told the Shepherds he hoped "to do good" with his money.

Young McClintock courted and won Miss Pope, a beautiful girl of a prosperous family in the best circles of Wilmette. They were to be married next February. But when the young man, in spite of all precautions, suddenly took down with typhoid and was known to be in a critical condition, Miss Pope procured a marriage license at his request. There was hope that he might improve sufficiently to be able to travel to the South. The plan was for the couple to be married on a certain day and depart for a more favorable climate, the bride in devoted attendance upon the invalid.

But Billy McClintock's condition grew worse instead of better. Miss Pope went to the Shepherd residence, where he lay suffering, and waited, hoping that he might improve. For two days and nights just before he died, she was at his bedside, or in close call, with the Rev. Paul A. Naumann, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church at Evanston. He had been chosen to perform the marriage ceremony. McClintock was unconscious. They hoped that he might recover consciousness so that the marriage could take place, according to his own request. The hope was vain. The young man lies buried in Oakwood Cemetery; his fiancee remains Miss Isabelle Pope.

At the burial Miss Pope, in deep mourning, was supported by her father, Henry A. Pope, who was to have "given her away" at the wedding. In front of her stood the pastor, the Rev. Mr. Naumann. From the prayer book he read, not the wedding service but the burial service; and near the coffin stood the six young men whom Billy McClintock had asked to serve as wedding ushers. Instead, they became pallbearers. One was a chum of McClintock at Dartmouth College. As the casket was lowered into the grave, Miss Pope sobbed and almost swooned. Billy was buried between his parents, where the grave space had awaited him for 16 years.

At first no one believed young McClintock was seriously ill. Even the physicians were not worried until they discovered the psychological reaction of the rich young patient. He was apathetic, submissive. He expected to die, he told his doctors. He believed, his friends now say, that the "hoodoo" of the McClintock millions was upon him, and that there was no escape, just as there never had been any escape for those who had gone before him as possessors of the weird fortune which seemed to carry in its wake only death, and so often sudden death.

But Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd, at whose beautiful home in Kenilworth the young man lay dying, added their word of bravery to the physicians' cheer.

"Nonsense, Billy! We'll have you on your feet in a few days," admonished Mr. Shepherd. "Doctors and science don't fear typhoid fever nowadays like they did when you were a kid. You'll soon be up and around; and, best of all, young fellow, you'll soon be the happiest bridegroom in all the world."

The "Fatal Fortune" Claims Its Fifth Victi

But Billy only smiled. His friends say he knew that there was no beating the "hoodoo," that there was nothing just ahead of him but death.

The devotion of Miss Pope was rewarded for a moment by young McClintock during the last moment of consciousness he experienced. The weeping girl sat beside his bed and during a short interval of lucid mind and sufficient strength, Billy said to her:

"I think I'm going, sweetheart." It was almost a whisper. "If we could only be married first!"

Then the young man lapsed again into unconsciousness, and the girl hurried from the house, summoned her car, drove as fast as her machine would carry her to Chicago, got the marriage license at the county building and hurried back to McClintock's bedside.

Billy was still in a coma when she arrived. The clergyman was summoned. So were the ushers who had been chosen for the church wedding which the young couple had planned in their happy hours. So were the young society girl chums of the bride-to-be.

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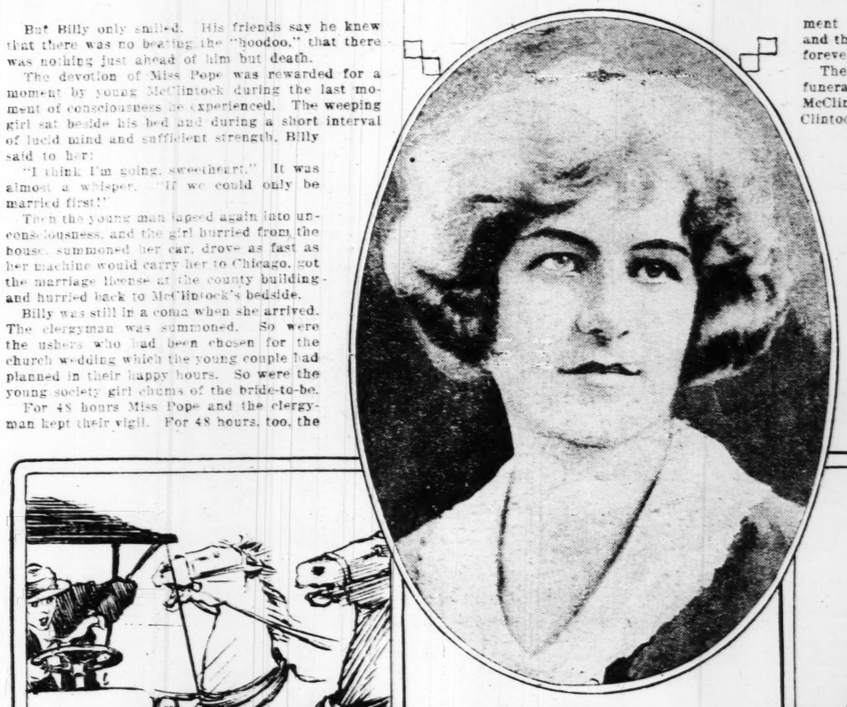

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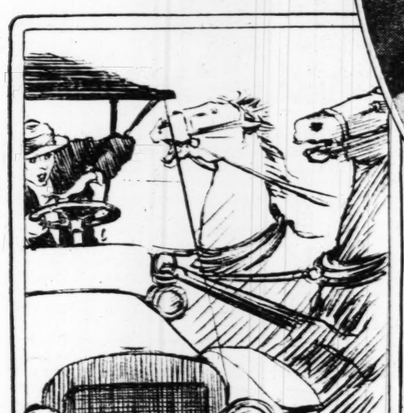

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The real life story of Billy McClintock is a tale of a thorough and elaborate preparation for a life that he never really knew. Everyone who knew him believed that one of the most fortunate things—one of the only fortunate things that ever happened to him in his short 21 years—was the guardianship over him of the Shepherds.

This couple, who adored him as they would have done had he been their own son, who knew and dreaded the "hoodoo" they feared the big fortune had put upon him, brought him up from childhood to an enviable manhood with all the care they could muster.

At the time of his death young McClintock was a junior at Dartmouth College. From the time he was old enough to play about there was believed to be great danger for him. That was because he owned so much money, such a vast fortune. In fact, there were threats, when he was very young, that he would be kidnaped and held for ransom. For that reason there was never a moment in his early life that he was not under guard.

He, too, was aware of the dangers, and conscious of the responsibilities his immense wealth had brought upon him; and that was why, his friends say, he was eager to devote his youth to deliberate preparation for the later life which, it is now revealed, he was never to know.

In the words of the Rev. Mr. Naumann, discussing Billy's life the other day with some of his friends, the lad was "building his house on the rocks, and not on the sand," so that, as the parable goes, when "the winds descended and the floods came and beat upon that house," it would stand, and would not fall, because it was builded on the rock and not upon the sand.

Early in his young life Billy McClintock became a member of Mr. Naumann's church and a warm chum of the pastor, to whom he wrote regularly while at college. It was at high school that he met Miss Pope, but it was not until they both became college students that they fell in love. Only this past summer their engagement was announced, and it was the occasion for more felicitations than had been received by any couple in their set in many a day.

But before the "hoodoo" became the conqueror of Billy McClintock's fate, the young man had invested $20,000 in a home for his prospective bride and himself.

Billy went East to the Yale-Harvard football game and there the "hoodoo" cast its spell, as his friends believe. He contracted a deep cold. He returned to Chicago, and his cold grew worse. The best physicians in the land did their best; but, argue Billy's friends, what can doctors accomplish when there is arrayed against them the curse of the McClintock millions?

One of the strange tangents of the "hoodoo," which has just come to light since the death of the youthful heir, has to do with Carl J. Sigfrid, an Omaha attorney. Twice Mr. Sigfrid was engaged to wed the young man's mother. The first engagement was broken when she married McCl... and the second when death stepped in and sever... forever.

The text which the clergyman chose for his ... funeral sermon over the body of William ... McClintock, based on the great love which ... Clintock's fiancee had for the young man, was the ... miliar quotation from the thirteenth ch... ter of Corinthians, the thirteenth ve...

"And now abideth faith, hope, ... these three; but the greatest of ... love."

Billy McClintock dies on eve of intended marriage, his fiancee at his bedside.

McClintock's mother died when the boy was 5 ... old, and when she was planning remarriage.

HOW WE ARE POISONED BY ANG... AND FEAR.

OUR emotions have their effect ... the body, fear and anger act... poison every drop of our bl... while kindly and loving thou... produce an elixir of life which rejuven... the physical self. Also, there are eff... upon the brain itself. These statem... are made in the Psychological Revie... Reviews by Orlando Edgar Miller, ... writes:

"Let one entertain a fear thought. Fear ... are generated in the same convolution of the ... (but on the negative side) as that which respo... courage, determination, firmness. But fear, ... to dwell consciously in that part of the brain, ... a destructive vibration that is carried through ... white fiber to the medulla oblongata. It is ... ized and passes through the entire system, poiso... every drop of blood in the body. If it happens ... a nursing mother holding the fear thought, ... will change to poison the albumen of the ... the milk in her breasts. The suckling child ... absorb the poison and frequently go into convul...

"In the same way an angry thought, or a ... of hatred, produces vibrations which coagulate ... blood and cause apoplexy, and develop poi... somewhat similar, although not so deadly, as ... taken from the poison sac of a venomous ... If a mother is angry while nursing her child, ... will poison it, and in most inst... kill it. A person who has ac... himself to become angry will ... completely change the charac... the blood in his system within ... minutes that the vapor from ... blood, passing out through ... lungs in breath, carries with it a ... sidium that if passed through a ... tube will leave a sediment.

"Within five minutes enough ... that sediment could be taken ... the breath of an angry man ... with hatred, to kill four ave... men, by injecting it into their ... as rapidly as cyanide of potas...

"On the other hand, love ... in human consciousness produ... elixir of life that rejuvenates ... keeps young anybody who will ... mit himself the luxury of being ... tinuously in love.

"In conclusion, it must be ... parent to the reader that in order to have ... tions of the brain that can at all times respond ... any class of thought, it is necessary to use ... convolutions a little daily: that if these convolu... are used daily, and given up to the class of th... which they are capable of responding to, these ... ous organs of the brain will not only become st... but they will become more and more sensitive ... respond more quickly to any conscious thought ... individual may choose to think."

Our "New" Turk...

Flock of the handsome birds will ... brought from Central America to t... United States, and attempt made ... domesticate them in the different e... vironment—Beauty of Honduras tu... keys is in the gayly-colored plumage... The heads are bright blue and yello... the ends of the grayish tail feathe... marked by "eyes" of green-blue ou... lined with copper—Our domestic an... wild species all descended, probabl... from the Mexican wild turkey — B... the Honduras fowl is quite differe... from all other turkeys, and the on... kind native to tropical lowlands

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Our "New" Turkey, More Brilliant Than a Peacock

Flock of the handsome birds will be brought from Central America to the United States, and attempt made to domesticate them in the different environment—Beauty of Honduras turkeys is in the gayly-colored plumage—The heads are bright blue and yellow, the ends of the grayish tail feathers marked by "eyes" of green-blue outlined with copper—Our domestic and wild species all descended, probably, from the Mexican wild turkey — But the Honduras fowl is quite different from all other turkeys, and the only kind native to tropical lowlands ::

TURKEYS which are more brilliantly plumed than the peacock and whose flavor surpasses that of the fowl now popular on the menu at Christmas, New Years, Thanksgiving day and other festal occasions, may soon be domesticated in the United States.

Henry Malleis of the U. S. Biological Survey, who recently penetrated the wilds of Central America to trap some of the famous ocellated Honduras turkeys, is bringing home a fine flock of these beautiful birds.

The gayly colored gobblers will be taken to Avalon Island, Ga., and turned loose on a carefully chosen tract of land. If they flourish and multiply, attempts will be made to introduce them into other parts of the country.

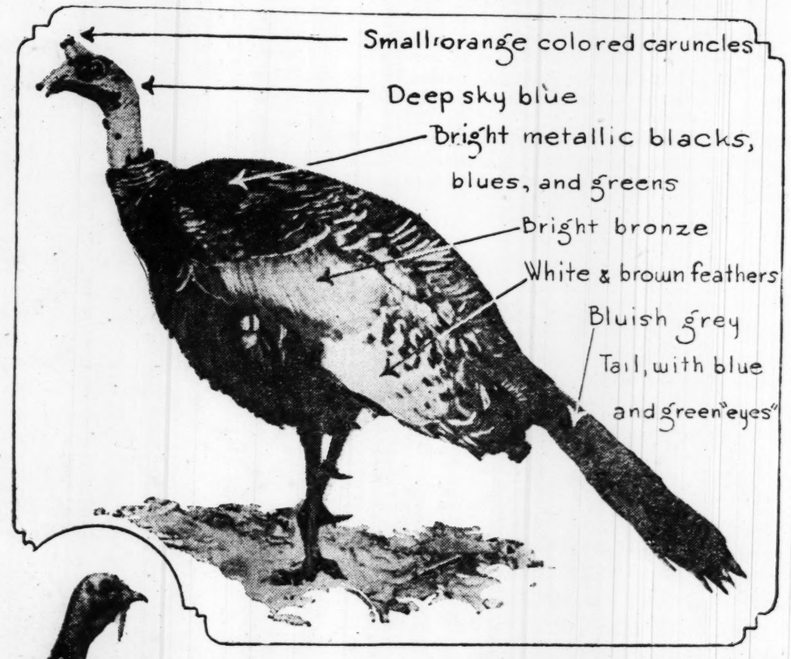
Last year, Malleis tried to transplant some of the same birds to the Temperate Zone. A few pairs were captured on their natural range, which includes only a limited section of Yucatan, Honduras and Guatemala, but after much difficulty were brought to tiny Saparo Island. But none of them long survived the change. Government biologists were not discouraged, however, and decided to secure a larger number of young birds for the present experiment.

Scientists decline to speculate upon the probable outcome of the undertaking. There are many factors which make for, and many others which make against, the success of such an experiment. It is impossible to predict what any given species of birds will do when transferred into a different environment, with changed food, climatic and other conditions.

Sometimes imported birds never become adapted to new surroundings, although the new environment seems to resemble closely their native habitat. In other instances they flourish beyond anything that was expected, and multiply faster in their new home than in the old. The enemies which kept down their numbers in the old environment are left behind. The remarkable spread of the English sparrow in this country is a well-known example of how an imported bird may multiply rapidly in its new environment.

But the Government experts do not expect the imported Honduras turkeys ever to take the place of our native wild turkeys, which once ranged from New England to Arizona and Florida and are still found in the more unsettled sections of their former range, particularly in the mountainous parts of Texas, New Mexico and Arizona and in large swamps and hummocks of the Gulf States.

They do expect, however, that if the turkeys prove adaptable to the Temperate Zone they will become highly prized as ornamental birds in our South Atlantic States.



The gorgeous Honduras turkey—also called the ocellated turkey. Its brilliant plumage makes it a rival of the peacock. If this tropical species can be made to thrive in the United States, the Honduras turkey probably will be highly prized as an ornamental bird.

The Eastern wild turkey, which was known to the Pilgrim Fathers and from which some of our domestic varieties of turkeys are descended.

The white turkey. Science has learned that, in the case of white bird feathers, the color effect is produced by the structure of the material rather than by pigments or coloring matter.

So handsome are these South American fowls that the peacock, symbol of pride, may well lose his strut when he meets one. The brilliant iridescent plumage of these turkeys is remarkable. It is black, tipped with brassy-green and fringed with greenish copper. The heads of the birds are bright blue and yellow. The rump regions are steel-blue and the tail feathers grayish. The ends of the grayish tail feathers are, however, marked by bright spots, or "eyes," of green-blue margined with copper.

These "eyes," or ocelli, give the turkey its name, as it is called the ocellated turkey when not referred to as the Honduras turkey on account of the region in which it is found.

Recently scientists have been investigating the methods used by nature to obtain the remarkable color effects in bird feathers. They have discovered that the "eyes" on the tails of the ocellated turkey and the peacock do not get their gorgeousness in the same way that our brightly colored silks and other fabrics do. The iridescent sheen of the feathers of these fowls, as well as the neck feathers of pigeons and other familiar birds, is not the product of multi-colored "dyes."

These colors are produced in the same way as are the rainbow hues sometimes seen when practically colorless oil is spilled on an asphalt street. In the feathers of the ocellated turkey and the peacock there is a brown pigment which serves as a sort of background, as does the asphalt pavement in the case of the film of oil.

This brown pigment is the only chemical coloring matter present, the rainbow color effect being due to slight differences in the thickness of the feather fringes, just as the colors in the oil are due to minute differences in the thickness of the oil film. A difference of only one-hundred-thousandth part of an inch is enough to change the color completely.

In giving the brilliance to bird feathers, however, nature does not confine herself to one method. The reds, yellows and blacks are produced by actual coloring matter in the feather. These feathers are the "dyed" fabrics with which nature clothes her winged children. On the other hand, nobody has ever been able to extract any blue coloring matter from any blue feather. The blue of the bluebird, the blue jay and the kingfisher is due to the structure of their feathers.

The blue effect is produced by the scattering of light by minute air bubbles in the horny mass of the feather.

When nature desires to make a green feather, however, she generally combines these two distinct methods. She uses a yellow pigment or chemical color and a blue feather structure.

The common white feathers of the white leghorn chicken, the pigeon, duck and peacock, and the tips of our common domestic turkey's feathers, are examples of color effect produced by the structure of the material rather than by pigments or coloring matter.

Seen under the microscope, these white feathers appear colorless, transparent. They possess no significant internal structure and when mounted in balsam, or cresol, are transparent and almost invisible to the eye. The surfaces of the barbules are often somewhat roughened, and these innumerable, transparent, colorless barbules scatter the light which strikes them so that the feather appears white, exactly as chopped ice or powdered glass appears white.

The white tips of our common domestic turkey have another interest for us beside the mere fact of the manner in which their whiteness is produced. For those white feathers show the Mexican ancestry of our modern banquet fowl. The wild turkeys eaten at the first Thanksgiving dinner of the Pilgrim fathers in New England did not show these white feathers.

All our domestic varieties, however, have descended from wild stocks of four varieties: the Eastern wild turkey, which ranged over the eastern part of the United States from Maine to Florida; the Florida wild turkey, which ranged over Southern Florida; the Rio Grande wild turkey, which ranged over Southern Texas and Northwest-

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The Sole Survivor Tells About the Last

Louis P. Conklin, who felt a real bandit's gun against his ribs 48 years ago last July 7, has a most vivid recollection of the robbery of No. 4 on the Missouri Pacific near Otterville—Eight men masked with red bandannas did the job—According to the only one captured, they included Frank and Jesse James, Cole and Bob Younger, Clell Miller, Bill Chadwell and Charlie Pitts, all of whom save the youthful Bob Younger were veterans of the most notorious outlaw gang in the history of America—Hobbs Kerry, who confessed and got two years in prison, an Ozark lead miner on a vacation

"Pretty soon three men climbed into my car. Each wore a red bandanna tied around the lower part of the face. All had sixshooters—they looked like those big old Colt's navy revolvers."

"WELL, if you see any of Allan Pinkerton's men, tell 'em they'd better come and catch us."

The tall, slim man in the striped linen coat smiled as he said that. The five men lined up against the inner wall of the express and baggage car could not see the major feature of the smile, that which was expressed by the upcurve of the lips. The red bandanna handkerchief concealed the lower part of the tall man's face, beginning about the middle of the bridge of his nose. But his eyes were visible, and in them the hands-up quintet observed a merry twinkle. They were bluish eyes—a cold, steely blue—and incredibly alert. The sort of eyes they were that seem able to look in every direction at once and take in all that lies within the circle of swift vision.

"Good-by," added the tall man; "we must be going."

At that, he swung down from the side door. His two companions, one of them carrying a long wheat sack with a bunchy burden in one end, and both of them bandannaed like their leader, also swung down. These three joined the man who had stomped about just outside the side door of the car, firing an occasional shot and emitting an occasional oath, for a full hour just past. He already was on his way up over the embankment of the railway cut. He fired a parting shot as he disappeared in the moonlight that failed to penetrate the woods where the horses, neighing and stomping, were tied to trees.

Four other men, similarly seminasked, gathered from their several posts alongside the passenger coaches, on one side or the other. They ran around the end of the embankment and disappeared with the other four. Though not particularly excited, they were in a hurry.

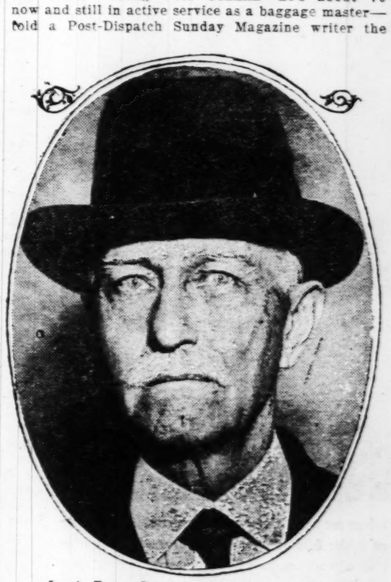
Before Engineer Tom Steinthorpe of St. Louis got his locomotive going again, he and the rest of the train crew heard the clickety-click of horses' hoofs, dying down to silence, to the north of the railroad track.

Ten minutes after the eight men rode away with the laden wheat sack, Missouri Pacific train No. 4, from Kansas City, thus unexpectedly halted about a mile east of Otterville, in the southwest corner of Cooper County, Mo., resumed the run to St. Louis, 173 miles away.

The eight men led by the linen-dustered fellow with the steel-blue eyes and the somewhat sardonic smile had held the express and passenger train just an hour, by young Pete Conklin's watch. It required another 10 minutes to remove from the track immediately in front of the train a pile of railroad ties and pieces of steel rails which had been placed there by the outlaws. The cowcatcher was "climbing" this obstruction when the train came to a standstill. The watchman at the bridge had been captured, bound and blindfolded. When the train was heard coming up the grade, he was put in the middle of the track in front of the barricade. His hands were left free so that, by order of the bandits, he could wave his red lantern, thus bringing the train to a stop. He stepped aside in time to save himself.

Notwithstanding the delay of 70 minutes, No. 4 pulled into the old Union Depot on Twelfth street next morning almost on schedule time. It may be taken for granted that Engineer Steinthorpe didn't throttle down his engine so that it hit all the low spots.

"In on time" was the engine crew's slogan, even though the Jameses and the Youngers had held up the train. Young Pete Conklin—he's about 70 now and still in active service as a baggage master—told a Post-Dispatch Sunday Magazine writer the other day all about that train robbery of 48 years ago last July 7. Yes, it was midsummer of 1876 when the tall bandit tossed his defi at the Pinkerton detective service and got away with his gang and the wheat sack containing about $10,000 paper currency. For 40 years Louis P. Conklin, born and reared in downtown St. Louis and now living in a Chicago suburb, has been in charge of the baggage end of trains on the Wabash Railroad. When he began "baggage smashing" on the Missouri Pacific he was only 18. He was just about of age when he experienced the thrill of the Otterville holdup.



Louis Peter Conklin, the baggage master.

"How do I know it was the James and Younger gang that held up my train back there in '76?" said the veteran. "Well, it's rather a long story, but if you care to listen I think I can convince you that the eight men who robbed our express car and rode away were Jesse James, Frank James, Cole Younger, Bob Younger, Clell Miller, Bill Chadwell, Charlie Pitts and Hobbs Kerry. You probably are more or less familiar with the names of the first four men mentioned, and maybe you've heard of the next three; but I doubt if people of the present generation know anything about Hobbs Kerry. Nevertheless, it was Kerry who supplied the names of the other seven, after having confessed his own part in the Otterville job. From his testimony, and from what I have learned since 1876 about the James boys and the Youngers, and also from what happened to the Youngers and to Charlie Pitts about two months after the holdup near Otterville, I have no doubt whatever that it was no others than the men named by me who committed that robbery. For 48 years, in my own mind, I have not doubted their identity."

Owing to the fact that none of the eight save Hobbs Kerry was arrested in connection with that particular job, and to the further fact that the Youngers and the Jameses never "peached" on any of their confederates, it is not possible at this late date to pin the Otterville affair definitely to their records; although, as the reader will discover, the known facts in the case are sufficient to make out a reasonably strong suspicion that the men mentioned by Mr. Conklin were the ones who held up No. 4.

"The train left Kansas City," said Conklin, "at 4:45 o'clock on Friday afternoon, July 7. We carried our combined express and baggage car, a smoker, several day coaches and two Pullman sleepers. All the coaches were fairly well filled with passengers. At Sedalia, which is about 13 miles west of Otterville, we took on an express car from the Missouri, Kansas & Texas, or 'Katy,' and it was coupled next to our baggage and express car. The Katy

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James-Younger Train Holdup in Missouri

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"It was a beautiful moonlit night, rather hot. After I finished handling the baggage taken on at Sedalia I sat down in a chair near one of the side doors, to cool off. I was sitting there admiring the scenery, when, rather suddenly, about 10 o'clock, the train came to stop near the western end of the wooden bridge across the Lamine River, a mile or so east of Otterville. First thing I knew somebody fired a shot. Later I found that the bullet had struck the door frame not far from the spot where I had been sitting. Quite naturally, I jumped out of my chair and took to cover. Outside were several men, shouting and shooting.

"Pretty soon three men climbed into my car. In the meantime Bushnell, becoming aware that a robbery was on the program, went back in the train and found the brakeman, to whom he handed the key to his safe. The safe had no combination lock, merely an ordinary key. When the robbers entered the car they searched me for weapons and told me to stand up at the side, and I did so. They brought in with them the engineer and the fireman, who were lined up with me. Some of them had climbed into the engine cab and got the drop on the crew.

"Each of the three robbers in the car, and also one who stayed just outside and fired a shot now and then, just to scare us, wore a red bandanna tied around the lower part of the face. All had six-shooters—they looked like those big old Colt's navy revolvers.

"One of the men demanded that I give him the key to the safe. I told him I didn't have the key. 'Get it, then, young fellow, and be quick about it, or you'll get hurt,' he said. At the same time he shoved the muzzle of his gun against my ribs.

"'I'm only the baggage master,' I explained.

"'Where's the express messenger, then?'

"'He's back in the train somewhere,' I said.

"'Come with me,' ordered the robber, 'and find him.'

"I went with him, for he still held his Colt in a threatening position. Bushnell was found, but he told the bandit he didn't have the key. 'Find it,' was the order. Bushnell was taken into one of the sleepers, where the brakeman sat. Threatened with death, the brakeman handed over the key. The man with the big gun then marched us all back to the baggage car, where we were lined up with the engine crew. As we walked through the train we found that several other armed men were posted outside, on each side. Now and then one of them fired a shot. From time to time they uttered loud oaths. Their purpose, of course, was to intimidate any passengers or member of the crew who felt like defending the train.

"The newsboy, or train butcher, was a lad named Lou Bales. He belonged in St. Louis. Lou carried a little firearm that made a squeaky sound when it was fired off. He was game—probably had more courage than discretion. When he saw a large man standing up the side of the cut, shouting and shooting, Lou turned loose at him, firing two shots.

"'Say, boys, just listen to that little feist pup bark!' laughed the bandit. The feist pup barked no more, for Lou Bales was taken in hand by some passenger whose discretion probably exceeded his valor.

"As the robber was marching Messenger Bushnell up front the negro porter in one of the sleepers remarked to the passengers who happened to be awake: 'If any o' you gents got a gun, now's the time to take a crack at that fellow in the back o' his haid.' 'Hush! Do you want to get all of us killed?' a passenger admonished the porter. The porter hushed.

"Once back in our car, the robbers got busy. The U. S. Express safe was opened with the key, and the cash was taken out and placed in a long wheat sack carried by one of the outlaws. Then the leader of the gang turned to the Adams Express safe. 'Here, where's the key to this?' he demanded, looking fiercely at Bushnell.

"'I don't know,' replied the messenger. Bushnell went on to explain in some detail that the safe was merely being shipped through, locked. Finally the robbers seemed to conclude that he was telling the truth—which, in fact, he was. One of the men, a wiry fellow of medium size, who seemed to have a lot of initiative, skipped ahead to the engine tender. He got the fireman's coal hammer, or pick, and brought it into the car. He tried to break the hinges with the hammer, but failed. Then he gave the door of the safe several sharp, digging blows with the pointed end of the coal pick. This appeared to have little or no effect on the metal.

"A bigger bandit, with a fist like a ham, seized the pick and dealt several blows. At last he made an opening. After a dozen or more hard licks he stopped and tried to thrust his hand through the ragged hole. He lost some of his skin, I fancy.

"Then the smaller fellow brushed him aside. 'I wear a No. 7 glove and can get my hand in where yours won't go,' he said. The hole was a fairly good fit for a No. 7 fist. The fellow stuck in his arm as far as he could and found a leather pouch containing money. He had to cut open the pouch, it being too big to pull through the hole. He got the money, though, and it went into the wheat sack with the packages of currency from the U. S. safe.

"All this hard work on a hot night made the robbers thirsty. One of them asked me where the water was kept. In those days drinking water aboard trains was served from buckets. I indicated the location of our water bucket. The bandit ordered me to sample the water. I took two good swigs of it myself, for I—well, my mouth was feeling what you might call kind o' dry. The robber, satisfied that we had not poisoned the supply, drank heartily. His confederates did likewise.

"The man guarding the outside of our car was growing impatient. 'Hurry up in there!' he would cry. 'What's the matter? Won't that fellow give you the key? Shoot the son of a gun, then!' But the inside workers continued about their business, calmly enough to keep their heads.

"The man who seemed to be the leader of the gang asked me what was in the other express car. I explained that it was a car from the Katy road and I didn't know what was in it—just a lot of freight stuff, no doubt, going by express. He insisted that I unlock the door and take him into that car. The key to my car fit the lock, so I opened it on demand and threat. We went in, and the robber looked around. Satisfying himself that there was nothing the gang could use to advantage, he returned to the other car.

"The robbers now were through their work, but one of them remarked that they ought to go back and hold up the passengers. 'I want to get me a good super,' he explained, meaning a watch. 'No,' said the leader, 'we've been here long enough now. Other trains will be coming along soon. We must get away. All out!'

"He meant 'all out' for his friends, not for us. They loped out and were off in a jiffy. I could hear their horses stomping, though I could not see them through the trees. After a parting shot or two they all disappeared, and the night became silent as a tomb. They had been there more than one hour.

"Just before they left, one of the robbers said to me: 'Now, young fellow, you'd better go to the rear of the train and remove some ties we've put there; might cause some trouble if you don't.' With

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MOTHER EARTH CAPTURES A BABY MOON

And the acquisition of a third satellite is possible, according to some astronomers —The second moon, now strongly suspected to be following an orbit around the earth, is estimated to be only 400 feet in diameter, 2500 miles away and traveling at 3 1-2 miles a second—The most recent planetoid discovered was first taken for a comet—Nearness of its path to our own orbit suggests that it may repeat the history of the suspected second moon of earth, and be forcibly added to the terrestrial family — Comparatively "close to home" data of the sky

IS EARTH'S family, consisting now of the familiar moon and suspected to include another and very tiny moon as well, about to be increased in number? Is the day approaching when there shall be not one moon, but three of them, revolving around the earth as it, in turn, circles about the sun?

These questions have been raised as the result of an interesting discovery, first announced by Dr. Baade of Hamburg University on Oct. 27. This German astronomer reported that, in the constellation Pegasus, he had seen a new object of the tenth magnitude and planetary in aspect. Because of the speed at which it was moving, Dr. Baade suspected it to be a comet.

A day or two later the hitherto unknown celestial body was photographed by the Yerkes Observatory of the University of Chicago, at Williams Bay, Wis. The pictures proved conclusively that it was not a comet but an asteroid, or minor planet.

Prof. E. B. Frost of Yerkes Observatory estimated its diameter at less than 50 miles. It is, of course, quite invisible to the naked eye. The finding of relatively small bodies of matter in the sky—asteroids or planetoids—has occurred many times. The peculiar interest of the most recent discovery is in the proximity of the newly seen object's orbit to the orbit of the earth.

Will the little planet travel close enough to come within the mighty pull of earth's attraction, falter in its course, yield and become another satellite of earth?

Scriven Bolton, eminent English astronomer and fellow of the Royal Astronomical Society, seems to think that such an event is possible. He writes of the new asteroid as follows:

"It may be similar to the miniature moon which is suspected to accompany the earth. The new body is situated in the constellation Pegasus, and is traveling rapidly just outside the earth's orbit. It is of the tenth magnitude and is visible only in a telescope. It is an interesting object, whether it may prove to be a planet or a comet, by reason of its nearness to the earth.

"There are many hundreds of small planets awaiting discovery. They range in diameter from a few miles to a few hundred feet. The suspected miniature moon of the earth may have been one such little planet prior to its supposed capture by terrestrial gravitation."

The accompanying diagram illustrates the theory of this supposed capture. The small planet, coming from nobody knows what mysterious depths of space, traveled on a path of that oval shape which is the choice, or the stern obligation, rather, of so many heavenly bodies. The earth, meanwhile, was speeding along its own ellipse around the sun.

The coming of the earth and of the tiny planet to adjacent points on their paths coincided, and the vastly greater mass of earth simply overpowered the original impulse of that errant planetoid and set it to spinning ceaselessly around the larger body. Bolton characterizes as "a meteoric satellite" and as "the earth's ... capture" the body which, he says, "is believed ... revolving around our globe." And he con...

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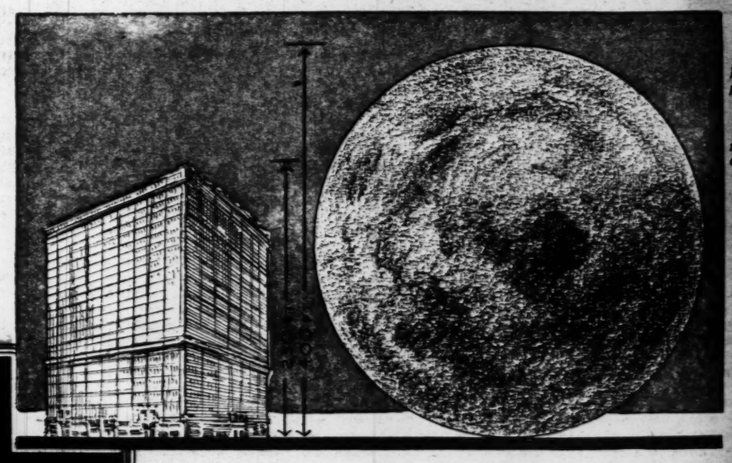

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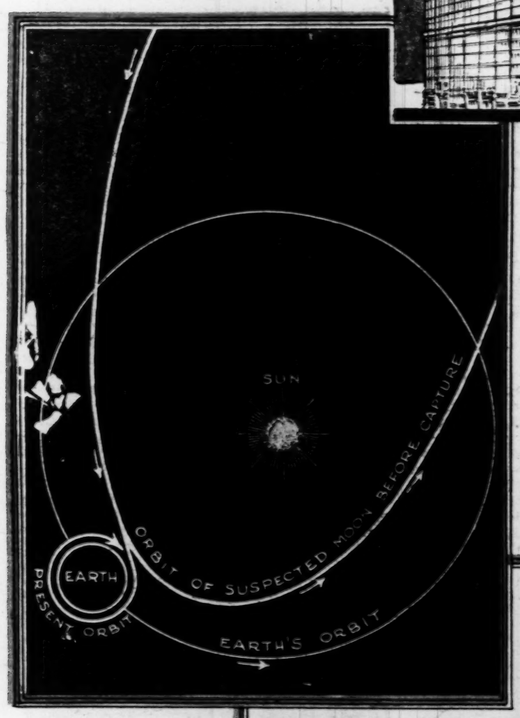

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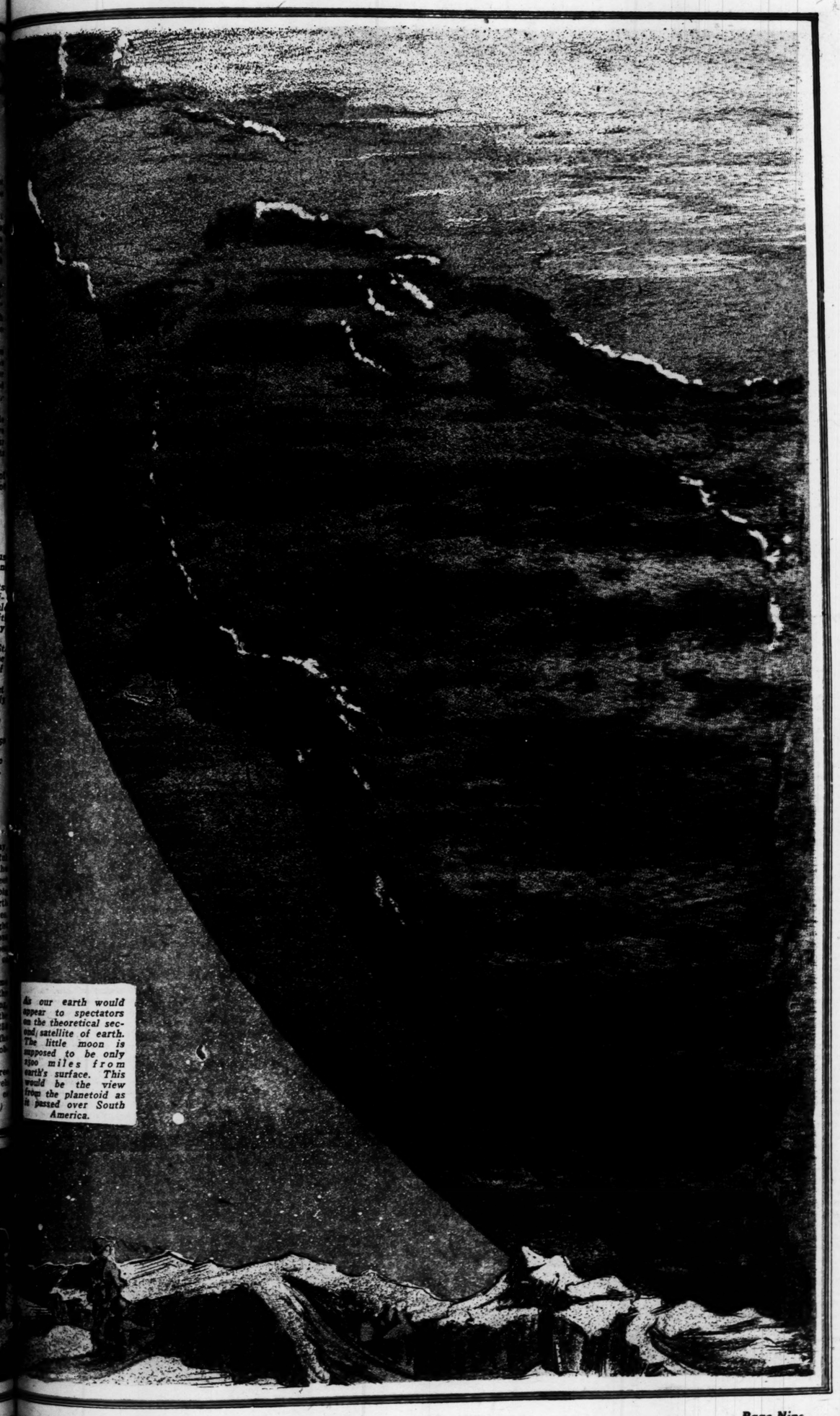

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The Great Symbol

by Melville Davisson Post

TO MARION DILLARD there was mockery in the symbolism of the night.

She was alone. On the table before her was an open telegram—the grating fitted into the last opening of the trap. She was a dark-haired, slender girl, with that aspect of capacity and independence with which the great war endowed our women: the high courage that no assault of evil fortune could bludgeon into servility. She sat in her chair before the table, to the eye, unconquered.

But it was to the eye only. In the magnificence about her the wreckage impending was incredible; the great house, fitted with every luxury; the library in which she sat, its rug the treasure of a temple, its walls paneled!

To Marion Dillard, in her chair before the table, with the telegram open before her, the whole setting was grotesque. All over the city, white with newly fallen snow, were the symbols of this majestic celebration of the birth of the Savior. They were not absent in this room. Holly wreaths hung in the windows, and the strange ivory image, representing the crucifixion of Jesus of Nazareth, which her father had always so greatly prized, had been brought out, after the usual custom of this night, and placed on the table. It sat on a black silk cloth embroidered with a white cross. As a work of art it was not conspicuously excellent; but her father prized it for the memory of a great adventure.

Marion Dillard leaned back in the chair, reviewing the events that had moved against her as though with some sinister design. Her father was dead. A cross of white marble stood on a hilltop in France to his memory. It had been erected by every people in the great war, for her father, moved by a high, adventurous idealism, too old for longer service in the American army, had taken his own fortune—and, alas, the fortune which he held in trust for another—and with it maintained a hospital base on the western front for the benefit of every injured man, friend or enemy.

Marion Dillard reflected: Of what avail was it that her father had not realized that this trust money was going into his big conception? He had drawn on his resources in America until every item in his great estate was pledged, and by some error, this estate, in trust, had gone into the common fund. Appalled, when she came to examine the accounts, Marion had endeavored to cover the matter, hoping that the decision of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals in a suit to recover a tract of coal lands in the South would be decided in favor of her father's estate, and thus furnish the money to replace this trust. And so she had somehow managed to go on.

This telegram on the table was the end. "Reversed and dismissed" were the sinister words of it. On this night commemorating the birth of that great founder of brotherhood, whose idealistic conceptions her father had always so magnificently followed, she must decide what she would do.

The thing was sharp and clear before her. She must either wreck the majestic legend of her father, or degrade herself! As she had carried the thing along by various shifts since her father's death, she could easily make it appear that she had, herself, embezzled this trust fund. That would leave the memory of her father clean; but it clearly meant that she herself could not escape the criminal courts. The heirs of her father's friend were insistent and hostile. They would have the pound of flesh, now that the fortune was gone.

For a time she sat motionless, her eyes vaguely on the carved ivory image on the table before her. Then she got up and, with her hands clasped behind her back, stood looking down at the crucifix.

It was about 10 inches high, rudely carved in the Chinese fashion out of the segment of an elephant's tusk four inches in diameter. The cross represented the trunk of a tree, the roots thrust out for the base. The figure, with arms extended, was nailed to the broken limbs of this tree trunk, forming the cross. The whole top of the tree trunk made the head of the figure, thrown back under a crown of thorns. And there in the quaint English letters cut around the base was the legend: "Inasmuch as you have turned your head to save us, may He turn His head to save you."

Well, the thing was an idle hope. There was no help in the world: either her own life or the memory of her father was on the way to dreadful wreckage!

Then desperation overcame her. She went out of the library through the great hall to the door. A maid helped her into her coat. She gave a direction that the servants should be dismissed for the night, no one should remain up, she would let herself in with her latchkey when she returned. She went out.

At the bronze gates as she passed into the street a man sauntering along the wall spoke to her. She knew him at once: he was a detective from the secret service. So they were already beginning to keep her under surveillance! The explanation of this detective did not mislead her. He was looking for a dangerous criminal, he said, who had come into the city and made inquiries about this house.

Marion Dillard replied with some polite appreciation of the thoughtfulness of the police for her security, and went on. At the end of the brown fence, as she passed, she observed another figure crouched against the wall as though it also kept guard on her house; but it moved away as she approached, as though to conceal itself around the turn of the wall inclosing the spacious grounds. She smiled grimly. The watch kept on her would be efficient; here was another. She went along the street to the great bridge.

She paused for a moment before the immense stone lions on their great pedestals at the bridgehead. They looked old, haggard, changing into monsters under a draping of snow! Then she set out to walk across the bridge into the country beyond, past the cathedral on the hill, lighted, and from which the melody of vague and distant music descended. And the feeling in the girl as she moved dreadfully in the night became a sort of wager. Was this a vast delusion, or was there in fact a Will in the universe, determined on righteousness, and moving events to the aid of those who devoted their lives to its service?

She went on, walking stiffly, like a dead body hypnotized into a pretension of life.

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There was no sound on the sea. It was a vast, endless desert of water on which the sun lay as though fixed. Only the chugging of the rusted freighter broke the immobility of the silence. The tramp looked like a battered derelict; not battered by the stormy elements of the sea; but haggard by the creeping detritus of inactivities in crowded tropical ports. The steel hull was covered with rust; the stack leprous, and the metal devices of the deck newly covered with a cheap paint.

There was no breath of air in the world, either to disturb the immense placidity of the sea or to vary the thin line of smoke vaguely blending into the distant skyline.

Two men sat against a drum on the rear of the ship. If one had been searching the world for types of the worst human derelicts, the search would have ended at the drum on the rear of this tramp. The types were villainous, but they were distinct—in marked contrast. The little man was speaking.

"Cut along with it, Colonel," he said. "How much did the Chink give you?"

He was a thin, nervous creature, with a habit of fingering his face, as though to remove some invisible thing clinging to it. It was impossible to place the man, either in nationality or environment of life. He might have been a cockney, born under the Bow Bells; but it was more probable that he was a New York gunman. He had picked up habits of speech in every degraded port of the East.

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He went on condensing the unessentials in the hope of getting Col. Swank forward with his narrative. "The Viceroy was sick, and too old to travel. It was all he could do to sit up. His only chance was to put himself under the protection of the American expeditionary force. The English were on ahead,

The thief was intent on some undertaking with the crucifix.

and he knew what the Russians and Germans would do to him!"

Swank made a vague gesture. "It was evening," he continued. "Night was coming on by the time I had persuaded Maj. Dillard to come with me. I had a good deal of difficulty to get him to come with me alone, without a guard. Not that he was afraid. This American officer was not afraid. You could tell that by his face. There was no way to frighten him; but it was irregular, and he had practically to go incognito. The Viceroy had stipulated with me that I should bring the American officer alone. He did not wish the common soldiers to know what the monastery contained. I had some difficulty to convince Maj. Dillard; but, as I have said, he had faith in my cloth."

"My word," said the gunman, "you were in luck! . . . Did they send a yellow chair?"

The placidity of Swank was unmoved. "No," he said. "As it happened, the chairs were red. It was some of the chairs in which the women had been brought in. You know, a bride in China is always sent to the house of her husband in a red chair. All the red chairs in the province had been commandeered to bring in the young daughters of the high Chinese residents, to the protection of the Viceroy."

Bow Bell interrupted with a sort of vehemence.

"Curses, man, get on. How far was it to the monastery?" But the deliberation of Swank's narration was not to be hurried. His hand moved the long, sharp blade of his knife slowly along the piece of soft wood, removing a shaving like a ribbon. He went on in his slow drawl:

"The monastery was a few miles west of the advancing column. The American division had just come up; behind it was a smart regiment from Berlin; and behind that, farther down, were the Russians. You see, the whole expeditionary force in China had been put under the command of Capt. von Waldersee. The German Emperor had intrigued for this supreme command; had, in fact, openly solicited it from the chancelleries of Europe. The German Emperor thought he would make a great point in the world if the supreme command of the allied forces in China should be put under a German officer."

Swank paused as from the weariness of effort. "Von Waldersee was a big, purple-faced German, wearing a helmet with a black eagle on the top of it, and a white chin strap; and he always rode a black charger. The theatrical conceptions of the Emperor must be carried out in detail. And the officious Von Waldersee was overlooking no occasion. An orderly had just arrived from the German high command as I entered to interview Maj. Dillard, and as it happened the American General put the message that this orderly carried into his pocket as he came out with me."

Bow Bell cursed under his breath. "I know all that," he said.

Undisturbed, unmoved and deliberate, Col. Swank continued with his narrative. "We set out in the red chairs. We traveled for about three miles west to the monastery. We passed first under that queer thing which is to be found in China—a sort of gateway and triumphal arch; but without any supporting wall about it. This arch had now a big tarpaulin stretched across it, on which was painted an immense white cross. Through this arch, on a flagpaved road, we approached the main structure of the monastery. Before us, as we entered the paved court, was a double-roofed square tower, with a door on either side.

"We got down from the chairs and went in. At the door stood the old Chinese official who had given me the two yellow boys. He now handed me the remaining four and we entered the monastery. Within there was an immense image of Buddha, covered with gold leaf. A circular stairway mounted around the inner walls of the temple so that one might go up to the very face of the Buddha, sitting in his eternal calm.

"About us as we entered the temple were crowds of Buddhist priests, their heads shaven, and wearing long yellow robes confined to the waist by a sash, and felt-soled slippers. The Chinese official went on, and we followed behind him. He passed through a door at the rear of the shrine, and we were at once in an immense, low room.

"One was not able to see what decorations the walls had contained, as they were heaped on all sides to the ceiling with bales of silks, furs and embroideries; and about were chests and boxes, piled in some confusion as though they had just been brought in. The whole chamber was a warehouse, and it was filled to the ceiling, except for a narrow passage through the middle. This we traversed, and coming to the end of it, passed through a yellow door into another chamber. We entered here a room of lesser dimensions; but it was fitted up after the usual idea of Chinese luxury—great mirrors around the walls, rich rugs on the floor; a variety of clocks, all going at a different hour; and many screens and tapestries.

"In the middle of the room, in a chair padded with silk cushions, sat the Viceroy. He was an ancient man, evidently at the end of life. His face was like wrinkled parchment. The white, straggling beard remained, but the whole dome of his skull was bald and yellow with age.

"But the most striking thing in the place was the women. The whole room was literally crowded with them—the daughters of the important men of the province. Sitting about on the priceless carpets, clothed in exquisite silks, they looked like quaint dolls. Their hair was knotted in the usual Chinese fashion with gum, and thrust through with ornaments of jade, and gold pins; their mouths painted.

"The Viceroy was too ill to rise; but he made a salute with his hand when Maj. Dillard entered; and he began at once to address the American through the Chinese official who accompanied us, and whose English was as good as my own. He asked for protection to the monastery, and a guard; and extending his hand to the great storeroom through which we had passed, he offered the American anything he wished in payment for his protection. Maj. Dillard endeavored to explain that the allied armies were not on a quest of loot; but were merely endeavoring to relieve the legations at Pekin, and establish order in the country; that they could receive no compensation for this service; and that he would endeavor to protect the monastery.

"But he was disturbed about a guard. The American expeditionary force was not large, and he was easily able to see the international complications that might arise if he left here an American guard to clash, perhaps, with the German division behind him."

Swank moved slightly in his position against the drum of the freighter. "At this moment," he said, "while Maj. Dillard was engaged with the difficult problem before him, an extraordinary event occurred. There was a clamor of voices outside. A Chinese guard hurtled through the door and fell on the floor before the Viceroy. There was a sound of heavy footsteps, the clang of side arms, the echo of guttural voices, and a dozen German officers entered the room.

"They were young Prussian under-officers from the portion of the German company behind the American division. They stopped inside the door, lest for a moment in wonder at the very miracle of the thing they were seeing. Then they noticed Maj. Dillard, standing beside the Viceroy's chair. They brought their heels together and made him a formal military salute; but it was clear they regarded him as of no particular importance—as merely a soldier from the American division, to be accorded the usual amenities.

"There followed a brief, verbal passage at arms. Maj. Dillard explained that the monastery was under the protection of the American division; that it must not be disturbed, and requested the German officers to withdraw. They replied with a courtesy in which there was a high contempt, that as the American division had passed on, and the German company arrived on the ground, the monastery was under the protection of the German expeditionary force, and they must insist on their right to control.

"They were all under the influence of liquor; one or two of them were plainly drunk. It was evident that Maj. Dillard could not control them, and it was clear that their contention of their right of control over the Chinese territory adjacent to their division was in point of legal virtue superior to that of the American division that had passed on, and from which Maj. Dillard had returned here. They spoke with an exag-

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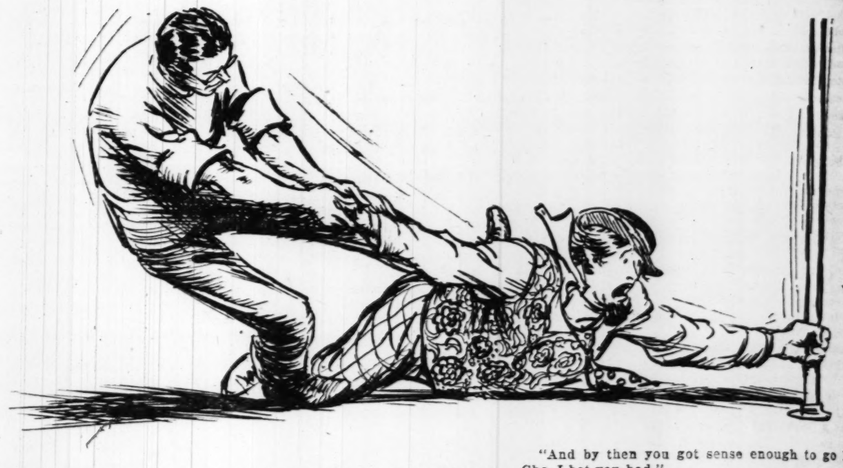

"VELL, vell, Cho, if you don't look like you found a place last night vhere you could get it. You vas a picture of ill health. Vas iss, Cho, vas iss?"

"Vas iss vhat, Lew? If I knew von a place where I could get it yet, I vouldn't be here, but there. I got a craziness in der head, Lew. I t'ought it vas somewhere else, but it vas in der head."

"Vhy don't you get it cut off, Cho? You vouldn't miss it. Never in der vide vide vorld you vouldn't miss it."

"Mebbe I vouldn't, Lew, but der head is der only t'ing der doctor ain't vanted to cut off yet, an' I vouldn't take another chance mit der doctor fellers."

"Vas you been foolin' mit 'em already, Cho?"

"I vas, Lew, an' der strange 'ting is I vas still here, talking mit you instead of sayin' 'Good morning', chudge' to der angel Gabriel. It's der vife's fault, like as usual, Lew. Always it's der vife's fault vhen you gets der vorst of anyt'ing. 'Cho,' says der vife, 'you ain't lookin' so vell this morning,' she says, 'an' you life insurance ain't vhat it ought to be,' she says. 'Run down an' see Doc Cutter an' mebbe he can put in a few extra parts so you'll run anot'er t'ousand miles or so,' she says."

"Vas der vife thinkin' you vas a flivver, Cho?"

"Many's der times she says I'm a flivver, Lew, but that ain't vhat she vas almin' at this time. She knows der doctor business, Lew. She vas von expert on der doctors. Vhenever she ain't got not'ing else to do, and der ain't no vhist party to go to she gets der doctor to operate some more. 'It's makes such a loafly topic of conversationings,' der vife says, 'and makes all der other vomens chealous.' So she says to me 'Cho,' she says, 'Cho, you ain't all vhat you should be. Vhy don't you go by der doctor's an' get der linin's fixed up,' she says. 'You ain't right,' she says."

"Dot's vonce, Cho, der vomens is right. You ain't right, Cho. You ain't even half right."

"Mebbe I vasn't, Lew. I don't act right when I go to der doctor's. Der first place vhere der sign says 'Dr. Ginko' I goes in an' tells him to fix me up. 'Surest t'ing you know,' says Dr. Ginko. 'You vas suffering mit der spinal columns,' he says, 'an' you vas vise to come to der chiropracticker.'

"An' in about a minute, Lew, der big bum gets me down an' I finds I'm der under dog in von of der grandest fights you ever saw, Lew. Der vay dot feller beat me up vas a shame, an' vhen he got t'rough mit me an' let me get up an' dust myself, he says 'Five dollars, please.' Just like dot, Lew. Gives me der vorst licking I ever had in my life an' makes me pay for it."

"Dot vould make me sore, Cho. I vouldn't pay it. I vouldn't, Cho. No, I vouldn't."

"I vouldn't neither, Lew, only I was afraid he vould do it to me some more. An' I couldn't to stand it. I got enough, an' I paid, an' vent lookin' for anot'er doctor to fix me up."

"Dot was a bright idea, Cho. You pay von doctor to give you der injuries and anot'er to fix you up so you can go home to der vife mitout havin' to tell her who you been fightin' mit."

"Der next feller vot I tried to get some health from said he was all to der mustard on injuries like I go. 'You vas injured in der spines,' he says. 'No, I got cured von dot from der ot'er feller,' I says. 'I von't stand for no more beatin's up,' I says. But der doctor feller vouldn't pay no attention to me, Lew. He puts me down on a table an' finished vot der chiropractical feller started. Only he done a better chob, Lew. Vhere der chiropractioner feller had just loosened der joints and cracked der bones, der new von, vot says he's der osteopthical kind, pulled me all apart. I never vas so broken up in my life, Lew. I couldn't stand it to go to another doctor feller, and as soon as der osteopathical could get his five dollars he let me up an' I vent home in a taxi, bein' too loose and disjointed to valk, Lew."

"Den vhat did you did, Cho. Vas der vife satisfied mit der results?"

"She was not, Lew. She said I didn't look der same, but she couldn't see no improvements. So I sends for Old Man Dingwaller, der vatchmaker, and he puts me together again vhere der chiropractical an' der osteopthical had forgotten about it an' lef some o' the parts out, an' next morning I starts out again to see vhat der doctor fellers can do mit der remnants."

"You vas von damphool, Cho. Vhy vasn't you satisfied mit vell enough alone yet?"

"I vas, Lew, but der vife insists. An' vhen der vife insists Cho Veber is not der kind o' man to disappoint a vomans. Dot is vhy Cho Veber goes out to try some more doctor fellers. Der first von vas easy, Lew. He says I gotta get my teeth pulled right avay kvick before I died of all der diseases der ot'er Doctor ever thought of. 'Dot's vonce I fools you,' I says. 'Der choke is on you, Doc. Der teeth is already pulled yet,' I says. 'False,' der doctor hissed. 'Sure they're false,' I says, an' seeing he vas getting mad mit aggrevations, I dropped a ten-dollar bill on der table an' ran avay from there.

"But I vas game, Lew. I vas game. I vent to der next doctor feller and told him der vife sent me to get some repairs. 'I see,' he says, openin' a drawer vot's full mit big long knifes, 'you got der appendizootics.' 'I have not,' I says. 'Vhat!' says der doctor. 'Do you mean to tell me you vas come here mitout der appendizootics?' 'I couldn't help it, Doc,' I says. 'Anot'er feller got it before I met up mit you. Ha, ha!' I says. 'Don't you ha, ha, at me,' says der Doc. 'You gotta pay for this. Von hundred dollars.' 'For vhat?' I says. 'For der disappointment,' he says. 'I vill not,' I says. But, Lew, vhen he opens der drawer an' I see der big knifes, I says to myself, 'You vas a lucky guy, Cho.' An' I gives him der hundred dollars and goes avay from there kvick."

"And by then you got sense enough to go home, Cho. I bet you had."

"Vonce more you lose, Lew. Vhen der vife says go to der doctor, Cho Veber goes to der doctor. I vent once more, Lew, and der doctor feller wanted to cut out der tonsilitis vhat I ain't had since I vas 7 years old, I kvit and vent home, and vent to bed. An' der next t'ing I knows about, der whole room is full mit doctors. All of 'em has der knife out, Lew, an' I t'ought I vas going to be made in der sausagers. They vas argumenting about vhich von vas to get me first. Von says I got der ear ache, an' he vas goin' to cut off der ears. Anot'er says I should to have only von eye. 'Dot's all right, Doc,' I says, 'mebbe Cho Veber has seen everyt'ing worth vhile, but he's got seats for der Follies tomorrow night and he's goin' to need both eyes yet avhile?' Den anot'er von of der doctor fellers says he's a heart specialty feller, an' it's his turn first. Dot scared me, Lew, an' vhat do you suppose I did it?"

"You hit him in der eye mit your foot, Cho. Dot's vhat you did it."

"I did not, Lew. I chumped out der vinder. An' vhen I lit in der ash barrel I voke up an' found out vhat all dem doctor fellers vas vas choost a bad dream. Dot's how I am alive, Lew. Cho Veber vas a lucky feller to be alive after dot."

"You vas, Cho. You certainly vas."

"But I found out von t'ing, Lew. I found out der Great Power made von mistake ven He made der human race. He didn't put in enough spare parts for der doctors to have der fun o' cuttin' them out."

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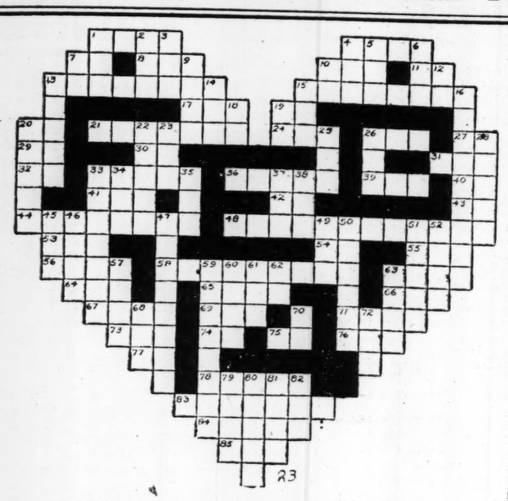

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3. Mineral
4. Companion
5. Japanese shawl
6. Yale
7. Instead
9. Boast
10. Note of scale
12. Diphthong.
13. Revel, glut
14. Pronoun, first person singular
15. Vessel
16. Grievest
18. After the birth of Christ
19. Note in scale
20. Grin,
22. Affiliation
23. Procured
25. Northern animal
26. Part of wheat plant
28. Curtain
33. Sheds
34. Female name
35. Obtain redress by law proceedings
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38. Small cottage
45. Ready
46. Snare
47. Monkeys
49. Orb
50. To reverence
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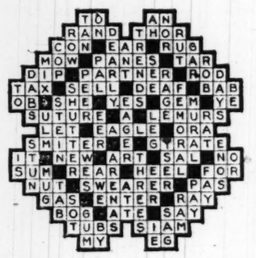

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Turkeys have no connection with the Turk or with Turkey. They were early introduced into Europe and were successfully raised there soon after the Spanish conquest. So well did they become adapted on the other side of the water that their place of origin was forgotten or confused. Probably our chief domestic variety today may trace its ancestry twice across the ocean in this way.

But the Honduras, or ocellated, turkey is quite distinct from our other varieties, both domestic and wild. The Mexican turkey from which our fowls originated is a native of the high table lands. The Honduras turkey is the only species of turkey which is native to tropical low lands. It is a wild bird, slightly smaller than our Eastern wild turkey.

Biologists of the United States Department of Agriculture now point out that even if they are successful in bringing up these gorgeous fowls, the thorough domestication of the species in our Southern states will be a long process. The animals which have been readily domesticated since man first began the conquest of his environment practically can be counted on the fingers of the two hands.

Horses, cattle, dogs, cats, sheep, ducks, chickens and turkeys about complete the list. The Honduras turkey may be added to the longer list of those animals which man has learned how to raise in captivity, even though he has never been able thoroughly to domesticate them.

People who have tried to raise even our tame domesticated varieties realize turkeys have a certain incurable, roving temperament which makes them only too ready to revert to the wild on slight provocation. This wildness of tame turkeys is held to be one of the principal fundamental reasons why there are fewer turkeys in the country today than there were a quarter of a century ago.

In 1900 the U. S. census showed that there were 6,594,695 turkeys in this country, while the census of 1920, the latest figures now available, show that there were then only 3,627,028 of these typically American fowls in the land. Since the last census, experts estimate, the turkey has been about holding his own. Little of the decline has been on farms where turkeys are the chief product. Turkey raising on the general farms, rather than on the commercial turkey farms, seems to have had the greatest decline.

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"If anybody tries to rob me I'll put four bullets through him quicker'n he can say Jack Robinson!"

Eli Lewis, traveling agent for the Santa Fe Railroad, was in the rear Pullman with J. D. Brown, general ticket agent for the 'Katy' line. The porter woke Lewis up in the midst of the melee. Lewis, in the lower berth, was pulling on his boots—those old long-tom fellows, you know, such as grandpa used to wear—when the bold bandit was passing through the aisle looking for the brakeman who had the safe key. His head came in sharp contact with the robber's elbow. "I thought I was shot, sure," said Lewis, later.

There was a preacher aboard—the Rev. J. S. Holmes of Bedford, Westchester County, N. Y. When he was aroused by the noise and learned what the predicament was, he prayed loudly that all might be spared; but if any must be killed, he prayed that the unfortunate might repent in time and thus be saved. Then he began to sing.

Eli Lewis, having discovered that he had not been shot, suddenly heard the solemn strains of "Rock of Ages," followed by the "Sweet By-and-By." Lewis, probably slightly hysterical, laughed outright.

In the smoker rode a long, lank Hoosier. He got down under his seat, emulating the example of many other passengers. His legs were too long to be accommodated altogether in hiding. One foot stuck out into the aisle. The bandit herding Bushnell, the brakeman, and Pete Conklin to the rendezvous up front, stumbled over the Hoosier's big, booted foot.

"Oh, mister!" pleaded the passenger, his voice issuing from under the seat like a wail from a grave, "please don't shoot me! I didn't mean to trip you up, mister! I swear I didn't! I wouldn't a-done it for anything. I beg 10,000 pardons, mister!"

The bandit, having righted himself, laughed, and marched on with his captives. After the train got in motion again the passengers began recovering their valuables. No robber had molested them, but each had hidden his or her money or jewelry in any sort of place that seemed reasonably safe. Eli Lewis had $800 in his wallet. He admitted that at first he put it in his valise. Then he crammed it into his sock. On third thought he hid it in the springs of his mattress. It was, of course, safe there, and it would have been just as safe had Lewis left it in his pocket—perhaps even safer. But when possible or probable Jesse Jameses are robbing a train it is not considered the best policy to be careless. A passenger who reached through a ventilation aperture and laid his valuables on the roof of the coach complained that he had been robbed. Probably he had been, though if so the midsummer breeze was the bandit.

Conductor Tebbets notified the St. Louis police and the Missouri Pacific officials of the robbery, wiring from Tipton, Mo. Posses were organized promptly. It seems to have been the general notion that the bandits had taken to the Ozark hills, southward. Sheriff Bacon Montgomery of Cooper County wired that he would take the trail with four men, but he needed more horses and more arms for a larger posse. He took what he fancied was the trail, but found no train robbers. Train Dispatcher Nichols, at Sedalia, wired:

"We are six hours behind them at Florence. We have started another squad of 100 men from here at 10 a. m. (Saturday), who will go across country, striking Lebanon. Also start with another squad from here about 1 p. m. on a special train, who will go to Appleton City and strike the trail to Monitcau Spring. I have furnished all the squads with funds. We have notified all officers of the M., K. & T. of the robbery, asking everybody to look out. Think we will catch them before we strike the hills."

Another squad was started from Clinton on the Katy road, to cut off the robbers at Warsaw, on the Osage River; also a squad from Lebanon, to intercept them if possible near Buffalo, far down in Southwestern Missouri.

James McDonough, Chief of Police at St. Louis, said the distance was too far for him to send men to aid in the bandit hunt. Gov. Hardin of Missouri lost no time in proclaiming a reward of $300 for the capture and conviction of each man in the holdup gang. At that time it was reported that from 25 to 30 men had taken part in the affair.

And now for the only tangible result of this thrilling man hunt of the glorious year of '76—the summer of the Custer massacre in Wyoming and the Centennial Exposition at Philadelphia, not to mention the Tilden-Hayes presidential campaign and the history it made. Nothwithstanding the armed and mounted posses riding out in various directions, never a sight nor a sound of any train robbers was reported. It remained, after all, for the St. Louis police, in the person of Sergt. Morgan Bol-

and, a trained detective, to solve the riddle of the Otterville robbery. Chief McDonough consented to let Boland get on the case after all the armed riders had failed. And, again after all, it was in the Ozarks, and far down in Southwest Missouri, that the raw material of the solution was found.

Boland learned that a lead miner at Granby was suspected of having some knowledge of the inside of the Otterville affair. Granby is the place where both Federal and Confederate armies operating in the Ozark region in the Civil War, from time to time acquired lead for molding into bullets to be shot at each other. In 1876 the mines were unusually active. Morgan Boland, disguised as a lead miner, got a job in the same shaft with the suspected man, whose name was Hobbs Kerry. The detective wormed himself into the graces of the miner. They got so chummy that Kerry called Boland "Morg." Finally, rather boastfully, Kerry told his friend Morg that he had helped to rob the train at Otterville; that is, Kerry had guarded the rear end of the train whilst the other fellows did the rest.

"And I got $1200 as my part of the pickin's," said Kerry.

Pete Conklin attended the trial of Hobbs Kerry, at Boonville. It was there that Kerry divulged the names of the men he was with in the Otterville holdup. They were, he said, the two Jameses, two of the Youngers, and the other four mentioned above by Mr. Conklin. Kerry got a light sentence—two years in State prison.

But before Kerry came to trial at least three of the men he named as accomplices had passed beyond the pale of Missouri justice. On Sept. 7, 1876, exactly two months after the Otterville train robbery, the most celebrated exploit in the career of the Younger brothers took place. That was the bank robbery at Northfield, Minn., where Cashier Heywood was killed by one of the bandits. Six men raided the bank and were attacked by citizens, who swiftly armed themselves. Two robbers rode away in one direction, four in another. The two, it had been assumed, were Frank and Jesse James; though not a shred of tangible evidence to that effect exists. The law of probabilities alone is depended upon to bolster the assumption that those two were the Jameses.

The four who got out of Northfield together were Thomas Coleman Younger, James Younger and Robert Younger, all formerly of Lee's Summit, Mo., and Charles Pitts, also a Missourian. Two weeks after the bank was raided, a posse of seven men surprised this quartet in a thicket near Medalia, Minn. A shot from the thicket was answered by a volley. Pitts was shot dead. James Younger was wounded, desperately. Cole Younger and his other brother, Bob, a youth of 21, surrendered.

The three Youngers received life sentences in the State Prison at Stillwater. Bob died in prison some years later, from tuberculosis. After serving 25 years, Cole and Jim were paroled; a year later they were pardoned, thus being permitted to leave Minnesota and return to Missouri. But Jim Younger, who had fallen in love with a woman late in his imprisonment, brooded over his past life and shot himself to death almost on the eve of his intended departure for his old home. His body was brought back to Lee's Summit and buried in the family plot. Cole Younger returned to Lee's Summit and lived there until his death a few years ago. Jesse James was assassinated in 1882, at St. Joseph, Mo., by one of his own outlaw gang, who collected the reward offered by the State of Missouri. Frank James died in bed at his old home, near Kearney, Mo., in 1914, and his body was cremated at St. Louis. Clell Miller and Bill Chadwell were slain in robberies.

"I reckon," smilingly remarked the veteran, Pete Conklin, "I'm the sole survivor—unless, possibly, Lou Baile may be living somewhere yet."

The Great Symbol

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erated courtesy to the American; but they were clearly intending to seize the monastery, to ignore any claim of the Americans over it, and they made that intention insolently evident. The old Chinese Viceroy understood it at once. Despair enveloped him. His chin dropped on his bosom, and he put out his hands like one resigned to the inevitable. It was at this moment that the dramatic sequel arrived."

Col. Swank paused; he made a slight gesture with the hand in which the long, sharp blade of his knife moved on the soft wood. "I have mentioned," he said, "how in character were the acts of Wilhelm II in this international affair, and now one of these theatrical gestures intervened with a shattering denouement. Maj. Dillard offered no further argument. He took out of his pocket the message which he had received from Von Waldersee as we were setting out and read it. It was an order of the high command putting a portion of the German company under the command of that Foreign General whose division it followed, and thus this order put the German advance guard, of which these Prussians were officers, under the command of the American General. It was the Emperor's gracious return for the grant of the supreme command to Von Waldersee. Maj. Dillard made no comment. He gave a curt order, as though he were addressing a Sergeant's squad.

"The Prussians were to remain and guard the monastery during the whole of the allied occupation; nothing should be disturbed; they would be held responsible for every life and every article, and for the rigid preservation of order. It was a hard, clear, comprehensive direction. And they were to report to him in Pekin.

"The amazement of the young Prussian officers was beyond any word to express. They recognized the black eagle and the signature of the German high command. Von Waldersee's was an ukase of the All Highest. They formed in a line before the American, clicked their heels and saluted. And he set them about the outside of the monastery as a guard; and went away in his chair."

Mr. Bow Bell threw himself forward with a great cackle of laughter.

"Ho, ho!" he cried. "And they couldn't touch a girlie or a cash piece. And what did you do, you fat old crook?"

Col. Swank resumed his narrative as though there had been no interruption. "I remained," he said, "though not entirely at my own initiative. The old Viceroy had drawn the conclusion from some remarks of Maj. Dillard that the white cross which the monks had put up before the gate of the monastery was a protecting symbol of the great Christian religion, and that in some manner its effect on Maj. Dillard had produced the result which followed. The Viceroy began to inquire of me why the cross was a sacred symbol in our religion?

"I explained it to him: that Jesus of Nazareth, the Messiah of the Christians, had been crucified on a tree, and that this cross was symbolical of that crucifixion—of that vicarious atonement for the sins of the world. He did not understand, but he understood its physical essentials: that the God of the Christians had been crucified on a tree, and that this concrete representation was, therefore, sacred, as the images of Buddha in his eternal calm, with the lotus flower in his hand; that the cross meant to all Western religions what the image of Buddha meant to Asia. He understood crucifixion. It was a torture of death known to the Chinese; but reserved only for the lowest criminals. He interrogated me minutely upon the details of the crucifixion, and I gave him an accurate picture of it! But in the translation I made use always of the Chinese word for tree. A lack of precision in language which had presently a definite result.

"For a week I remained in the monastery as a guest of the Viceroy. I was treated like a Prince; and then I was given a present for Maj. Dillard, and sent on to the American division. I traveled in a chair like an envoy, parallel to, but at some distance from, the line of march, and I overtook him before he reached Pekin.

"And what was the present?" said Bow Bell. "Twelve she asses laden with gold?"

"No," replied the Colonel in his weary drawl, "it was not. It was a carving in ivory representing the crucifixion of Jesus of Nazareth as I had described it, wrapped in a piece of black silk, embroidered with a white cross, not worth a pound and six pence. The carving, a mediocre work of art, might have been worth a hundred dollars in America.

"You will recall that I used the word tree in my description to the Viceroy, and this carving represented an ivory tree made of the whole segment of an elephant tusk. It was about four inches in diameter, and 10 inches high. The base represented the roots of the tree spread out, so that the thing would stand in balance. Broken limbs represented the crosspieces to which the hands of the figure were nailed. The feet were spiked together on the trunk; the head, thrown back and encircled with a crown of thorns, made the entire top of the carving, that is, the top of the tree."

"Well, for heaven's sake," said Bow Bell. "A piece of carved elephant's tusk for a job like that! . . . Did you steal it?"

Col. Swank went on: "And it was carved in tiny English letters around the base with a legend, not badly worded for a pagan imitation of the scriptures: 'Inasmuch as you turned your head to save us, may He turn His head to save you.' . . . No, I didn't steal it. How could I steal it? There was a Chinese runner on each side of the chair. I was never out of sight of them, and they each had a knife. I delivered it to the Major."

"Well, he didn't get much for his trouble," said Bow Bell. "It's no good to be good!" His voice descended into a confidential note; he leaned a little toward his companion. "Now, you said you had a notion about this thing at the beginning of your talk. What was that notion, Colonel? You said you were going to America. You said you were going to find that crucifix. You said you had a notion about it. What is your notion?" For a moment Col. Swank did not reply. His hands moved; the long, sharp blade of the knife peeling off ribbons of pine from the piece of soft wood. There was no one in sight on the rear deck of the freighter; but at the moment Swank began to speak, one of the Chinese crew appeared. The Colonel lowered his voice, and what he said passed in a whisper to his companion. Bow Bell looked quickly about the deck. The individual of the Chinese crew had passed behind the leprous stack of the freighter. Mr. Bow Bell spoke softly, and leaned over toward his companion. "You're going to get a lot of ash on your shirt, Colonel," he said; and taking hold of the hand in which his companion held the knife, he brought it up with a firm grasp and drove the long blade into the man's chest just under the heart.

For a moment the huge body of the man did not move. Then, his eyes widened, and his mouth extended in a sort of wonder. "Why, you dirty little beast!" he drawled. "You dirty little beast!" Then his head fell forward, the great, slack body quivered, shuddered and was motionless.

A little later Mr. Bow Bell lifted the apparently opium-drunken body of Col. Swank to his feet, and helped him to the rail of the ship. There the two stood for a moment close together as in confidential talk, until, as the gunman turned away, the opium-drunken Colonel, by some loss of balance, fell forward over the rail into the sea. With a cry Mr. Bow Bell ran forward to report the accident.

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It was midnight when Marion Dillard returned to the silent house. The door of the library was open. She turned from the hall into the room; but on the threshold she stopped. The figure of a man leaned over the library table, a cap pulled over his eyes, a dark handkerchief tied around the lower part of his face. He held the massive, carved-ivory crucifix in his hands, and he was intent on some undertaking with it.

The girl took a step forward, and, at the sound, the figure turned, and a weapon flashed in its hand. Immediately the silence in the room was shattered by the explosion of a shot. Marion Dillard imagined that the burglar had fired at her; but, if so, why did the creature come to sway, to put out a convulsive hand, to drop his weapon clattering on the rug, and to crumple in a heap? The voice of the detective whom she had found on guard at the gate as she went out gave the explanation. The man came forward from behind the curtain of a window.

"Bad gunman," he said, "wanted all over the world. I had to kill him." And he indicated the crumpled body of Mr. Bow Bell.

"But what was he doing to that ivory crucifix? It looked like he was trying to twist it."

Marion Dillard went forward and took up the heavy piece of carved ivory. The head, crowned with thorns, had been twisted around until it faced backward. It was loose, and she lifted the head out of the carving. The whole interior of the ivory tree was hollow, and packed with rice powder. Hard pellets were embedded in the rice powder, and when she released them, great Oriental pearls appeared—huge, magnificent, a double handful of them, matchless, priceless, worth the ransom of a province.

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Mother Earth Captures a Baby Moon

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slightly more than half a mile a second. Thus, the little second moon apparently travels six times as fast as does the big moon that everybody sees. This contrast in the relative speeds of the big and the little moons of earth would be heightened, of course, by the difference in their distances from the earth.

Even if the orbit of the suspected little moon were known, also the exact time at which it would cross the big moon's face, and the latter were at full, the task of spotting that 2500-mile-distant little moon through a powerful telescope would require a high degree of astronomical ability.

No, it never has been seen by the human eye. How, then, do men of distinction in the scientific world go to work in estimating its size, speed and distance from earth? On what do they base even their belief that there is another, and tiny, moon going round and round the earth?

The answer is to be found in perturbations in the orbit of the big moon. Because of its importance in the forecasting of ocean tides, the moon has been closely studied for many, many years. The movements and pull of both sun and moon are so well understood now that, in so far as they affect the tides, the latter can be calculated far in advance and well enough for all practical purposes.

But even today, there are things in the moon's behavior which the astronomers do not quite understand, even taking into account its elliptical path, the fact that its figure is an ellipsoid with three unequal axes, the apparent swaying from side to side which is called the moon's libration in longitude and its apparent tilting, which is called the moon's libration in latitude.

And because the moon does not always behave as it would if it complied strictly with the astronomers' theories about proper moon conduct, and because in the light of our present knowledge about the moon it is an erratic and puzzling and inexplicable satellite, some of the scientists have figured out just what kind of a naughty little moon must be interfering with its big sister.

For even a tiny little moon, only 400 feet across, could make its influence felt in the relations between earth and big moon, could disturb the delicate balance sufficiently to register its presence.

All of this may sound rather farfetched, and as though the learned people who study the heavens had too much time on their hands. But just such a situation led to "the greatest astronomic feat of the nineteenth century," as it is termed by Monsignor Martin S. Brennan, pastor of SS. Mary and Joseph Catholic Church, and famous St. Louis astronomer.

Perturbations had been observed in the orbit of the planet Uranus. Mathematicians, after making allowance for all the known elements in forming the path of Uranus, still found that the observed place of the planet differed considerably from the theoretic one. These mysterious perturbations could be attributed only to the action of an undiscovered planet, revolving in the void beyond Uranus.

Leverrier and Adams were the two mathemeticians who, independently, computed the mass and place of the disturbing body.

On the night of Sept. 23, 1846, Dr. Galle of Berlin pointed his telescope as directed by Leverrier, and found the planet Neptune within one degree of the indicated spot. For the first time, this outermost of the sun's large planets was known to mankind. Like Uranus, it was unknown to the ancients, and Uranus was not discovered until March 13, 1781, by Herschel.

Thus did perturbations in the orbit of a known planet, and the clew suggested by astronomical and mathematical genius, lead to the discovery of Neptune, distant from the sun by an average of 2,795,000,000 miles, or about 30 times the average distance of earth from the sun.

So, the theory of another and little moon that attends earth, in addition to the familiar big moon, is to be taken seriously. Also, the possibility that the new planet discovered by Dr. Baade may be added to the terrestrial group proceeding around and around the sun at an average distance of 92,500,000 miles.

By analogy, there is no reason why earth should not have two attendant satellites, or even more. Neptune has only one, but Mars is accompanied by two of them, Jupiter and Uranus each have four, and Saturn, in addition to its famous rings, is resplendent with no less than eight satellites.

Practically all the planetoids or asteroids—minor planets—revolve in the space between Mars and Jupiter. Compared with the eight major planets, these planetoids are insignificant, ranging from 12 to 500 miles in diameter, and all of them invisible to the unaided eyes. The largest in the group is Vesta, whose diameter has been variously estimated at from 319 to 520 miles. The first asteroid discovered was Ceres, on Jan. 1, 1801.

The number of planetoids now known exceeds 500, and new ones are being discovered every year. They travel around the sun similarly to the major planets, from west to east in elliptical orbits. It is almost certain that these minor planets have no atmosphere, so that discussion as to the possibility of human life there, such as we know it, is useless.

The Eros planetoid, famous for its usefulness in measuring the distance to the sun, has a diameter of only 20 miles, and its nearest approach to the earth is 15,000,000 miles. The hypothesis, that the planetoids are fragments of a disrupted great planet which once existed between the orbits of Mars and Jupiter, is now abandoned.

Preliminary calculations by the astronomical department, University of California, were announced recently by Prof. A. O. Leuschner, and they reveal several interesting facts about the fast-moving new object first observed by Dr. Baade.

Prof. Leuschner and his assistants found that it is a minor planet, moving in a highly eccentric ellipse at a high inclination to the ecliptic, or plane passing through the center of the sun which contains the orbit of the earth. They found that it was "close" to the earth, astronomically speaking, and near the earth's perihelion, or point on the path closest to the sun.

While the angle of the new planetoid's path to the ecliptic is exceeded by that of the planetoid Albert, and while the eccentricity of its ellipse is equaled by two other of the minor planets, there is no other planet now known which has both such high inclination and eccentricity, said Prof. Leuschner.

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"Virgin and Child," by Giovanni Bellini, an Italian painter of the fifteenth and early sixteenth centuries
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Above: "Madonna of the Veil," a modern conception of the subject, by E. Hodgson Smart, an English artist. This canvas hangs at the Art Center in Washington, D. C. At left: "The Mystic Madonna," by an unidentified artist of the last half of the eighteenth century. The painting was brought to America recently from Copenhagen.
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Raphael's "Madonna of the Grand Duke," in the Pitti Palace at Florence, Italy.
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At left: "The Madonna Della Sedia," in the Pitti Palace, Florence. At right: Mainardi's "Virgin and Child with Angels."
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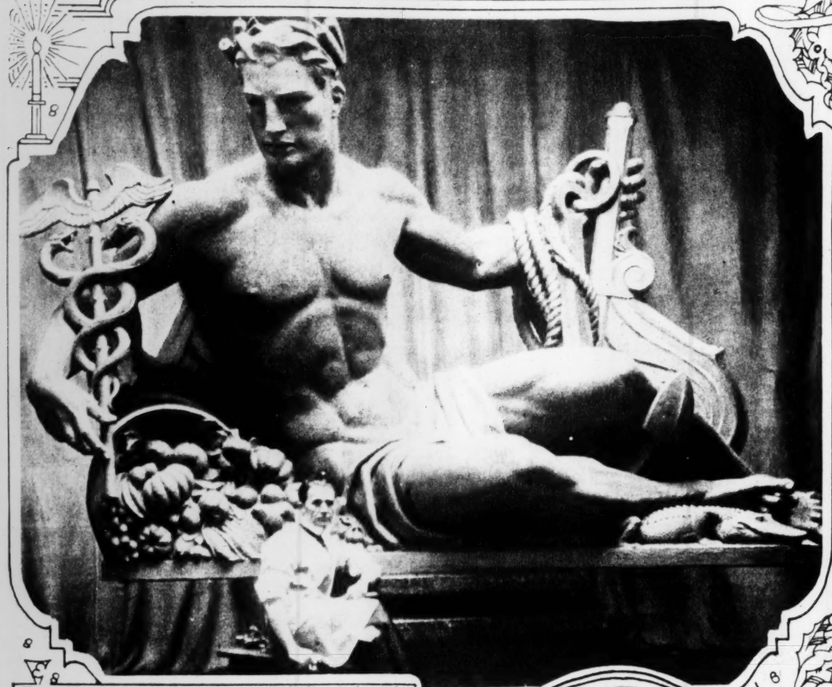

The Mississippi River, as symbolized by the sculptor, Robert Aitken, N. A., who also appears in this photograph of the finished plaster model ready to be sent to the bronze-casting foundry The bronze group will be a decoration of the Missouri Capitol, Jefferson City.
—De Witt Ward, Photographer, New York

Pope Pius XI poses for a new portrait by Prof. Giuseppe Palanti of the Royal Academy of Milan, and at the same time for a bust by the sculptor, I. Vizzero, in an apartment of the Vatican.
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Mrs. Leonard Thomas of New York society, in a snaphot from fashionable Park avenue.
International Newsreel Photo

The first woman to be elected to Congress, as a Democrat, is Mrs. Mary T. Norton of New Jersey, who will take her seat in the House of Representatives after March 4, next. A recent picture.
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Scenes in the factory of Mrs. O. H. Stubergh, San Francisco, where wax figures are produced. The use of living models, as illustrated here, insures likelike results. Above: Mrs. Stubergh removing sections of a mold from the head of her daughter, Katherine. At right: Miss Stubergh completely encased in a plaster mold which weighs 300 pounds. This is the only wax figure factory in the United States owned by a woman.
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by Miss Lotta Van Buren, American
Streicher, and was given to Beethoven
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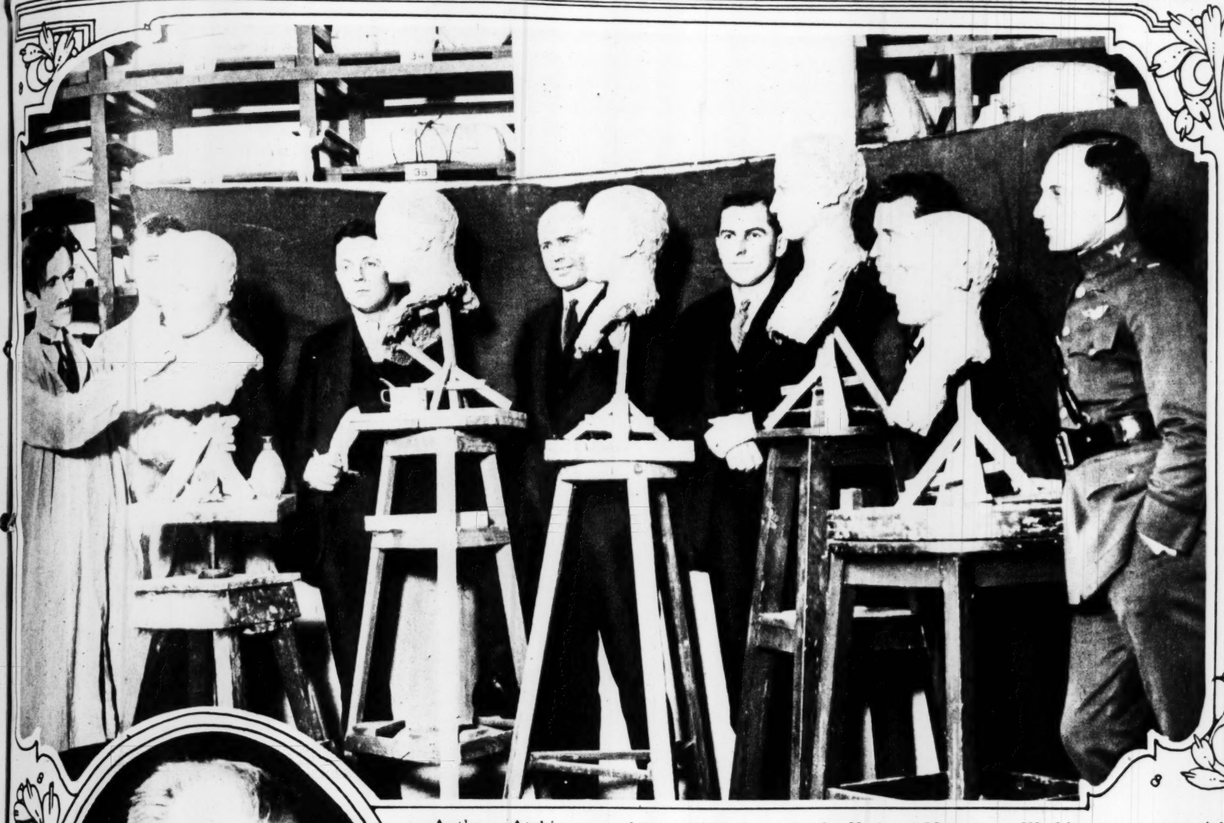
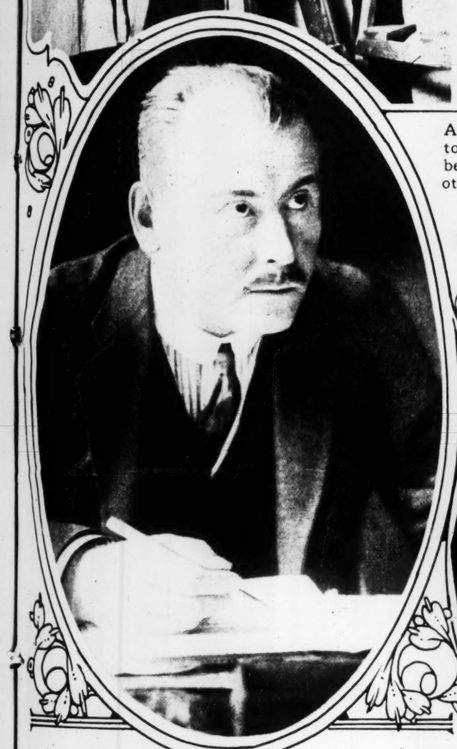
The mammoth sulphur bottom whale which was captured on Dec. 1 at Port Arthur, Tex. Its length was 58 feet, and its estimated weight 50,000 pounds. Above: General view of the whale's under side. At left: Glimpse into the monster's cavernous mouth, and close-up of the brushlike apparatus in the roof of the mouth, with which, as with a sieve, the whale strains out the minute animals on which it feeds.

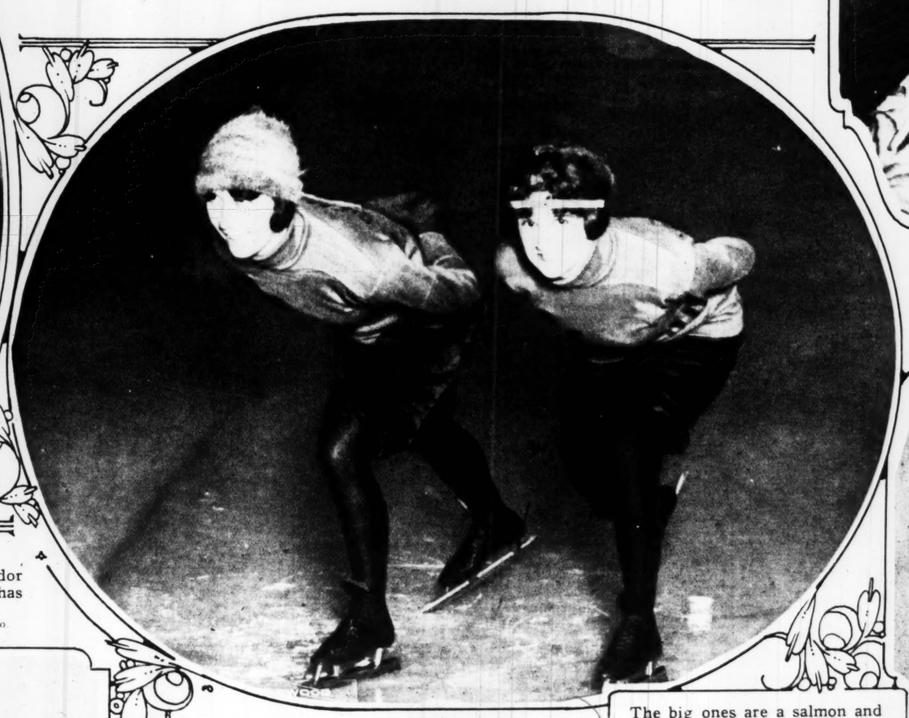


Anthony Atchinson, sculptor, making busts in the National Museum at Washington, as memorials to the round-the-world flyers. He is seen working on the bust of Lieut. Smith, who stands just behind the figure. Left to right, each, save the last, standing near the model of his own head, the others are: Harding, Nelson, Ogden, Wade and Arnold. —P. & A. Photo.

Mme. Marguerite Namara, noted American singer, has canceled several European engagements to return home and create the principal role in the operetta "Empress Eugenie." In private life she is Mrs. Guy Bolton. —Kadel & Herbert



Baron von Maltzan, just appointed German Ambassador to the United States, succeeding Dr. Otto Wiedfeldt, has been assistant to the German Foreign Minister. —Keystone View Co.



Elsie Muller and Dot Jackson, Iceland team, skating in a quarter-mile race at the New York Ice Palace. © Underwood & Underwood

The big ones are a salmon and a halibut, frozen, an insignificant part of the daily catch of thousands off Prince Rupert, British Columbia. International.

nd its estimated weight th, and close-up of the n which it feeds.

Beethoven, the great composer, once owned this old piano, now owned by Miss Lotta Van Buren, American concert recitalist. It is a Streicher, and was given to Beethoven in 1796, being noted for its exceptional tone qualities. Miss Van Buren still plays it. —International.

Here's the girl Diana would have loved. Helen Wagner of Norwell, Mass., 16 years old, declares dancing a waste of time. She prefers to mount Bob, her pony, and go hunting. Her mother says she never has worn skirts. Knickerbockers for Helen! —International.

Benny Leonard, world's champion lightweight pugilist, is said to have promised his mother, Mrs. Minnie Leiner, never to fight again. She is seen here admiring a life-size portrait of her 135-pound son. —International.

This collar and cuff set designed by the Women's Wear League shows soft white Japan silk, fluted, at throat and wrists.
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Irish linen and Irish lace are used in this collar and cuff creation for the college girl or the business woman.
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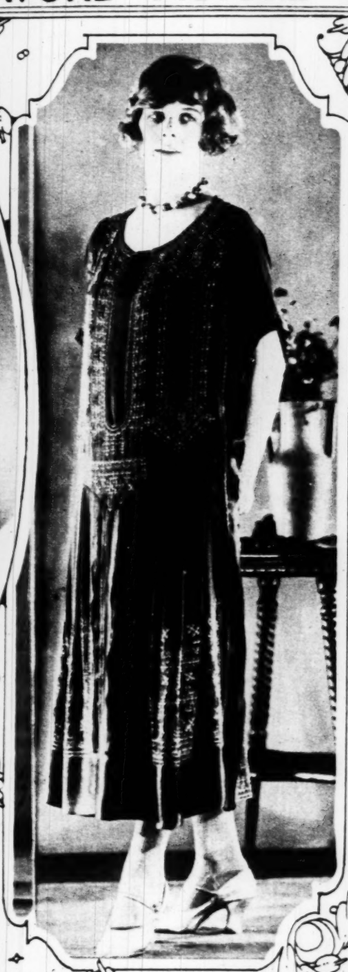

Above: A striking gown of flame georgette and black satin imperial, embroidered in shades to tone in green and black. At right: A handsome evening wrap, embroidered, beautifully trimmed in chinchilla. The cloth is in gold, red and green.
—International

One of many busy retail shopping streets in Buenos Aires, capital of the Argentine Republic, and the largest city in South America. Notice the English bookstore sign. It is estimated that nine-tenths of the automobiles seen here are made in the United States.
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The collar and cuffs here are of plaid taffeta, pleated and edged with ribbon. This set gives a youthful touch to a frock.
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Mary E. Dillon is the new vice president of the Brooklyn Borough Gas Co., a $5,000,000 corporation. She began in 1903 as a clerk in the Coney Island office of the company. In private life she is Mrs. Henry Farber, but she signs her maiden name to letters and checks and prefers to be known in business as Miss Dillon.
—Kadel & Herbert

At a recent charity ball in Washington, the Argentine tango was danced by Miss Natalie Hays Hammond, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hays Hammond, with Fulton Lewis Jr. as her partner. They were photographed in this striking pose.
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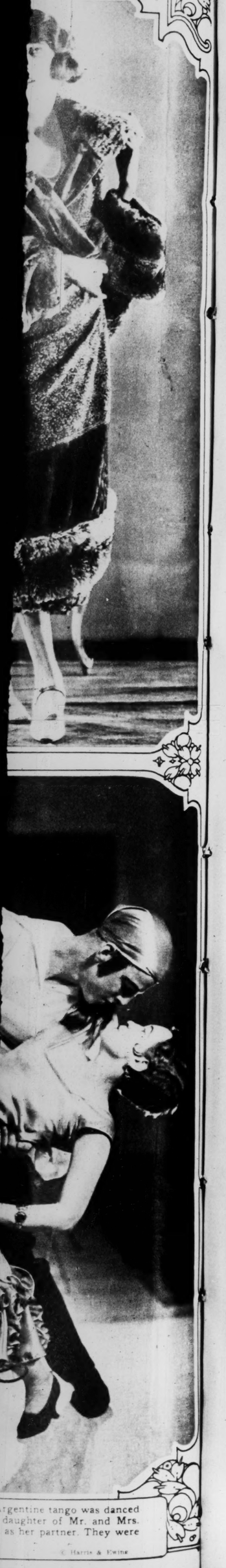

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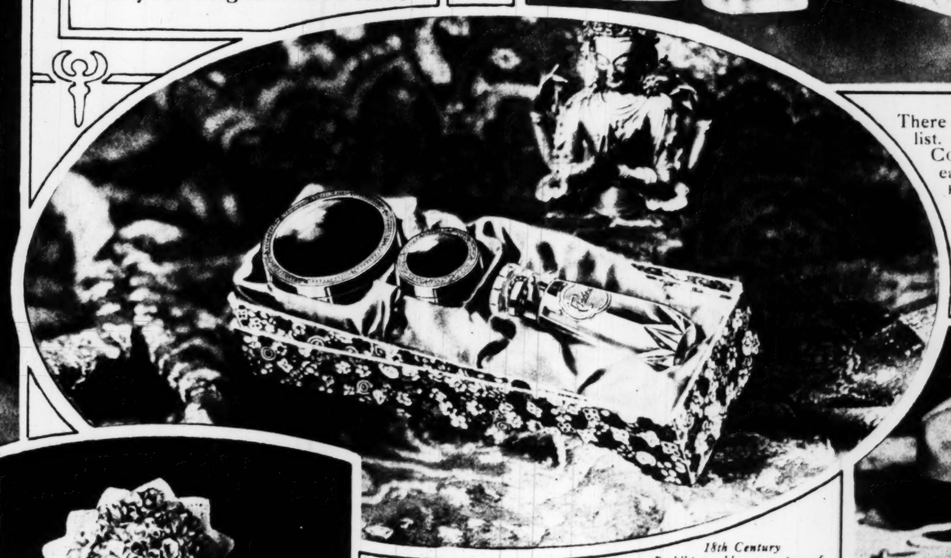

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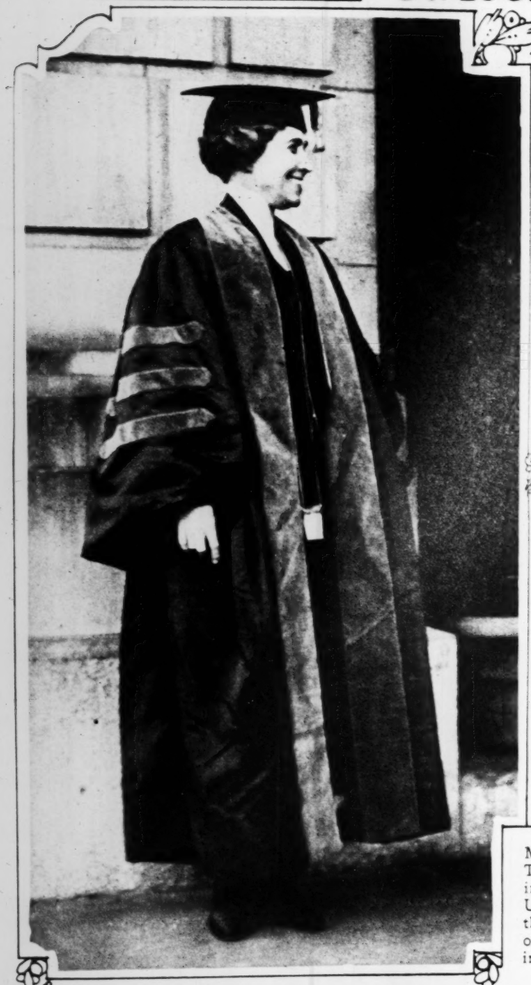

Mrs. Calvin Coolidge, LL. D. This shows the President's wife in cap and gown just after Boston University conferred upon her the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws, in the Old South Church in Boston.

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First of intercity high school football games in St. Louis. In this picture Montgomery of Soldan is shown attempting to circle left end in game with Sikeston, which was defeated by score of 23 to 0. In second game, Cleveland High, St. Louis champion, was beaten by eleven from Charleston, Mo., by score of 9 to 6. Dim light made it impossible to get action photographs of second contest.

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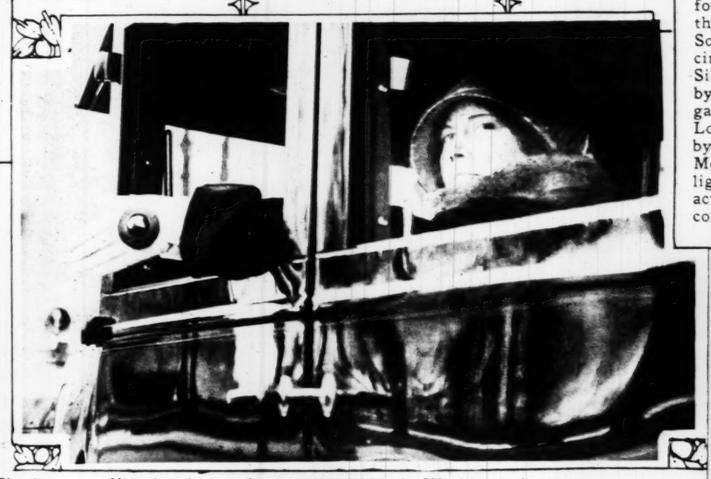

The latest traffic signal to make its appearance in Washington is a white glove with a red reflecting mirror at the back of the hand. By day, the white makes the signal clearer than the naked hand or the hand gloved otherwise. By night, the mirror catches light from the car behind, for whose driver the signal is intended. Miss Edith Stalker, sister of Congressman Stalker of New York, is shown using the glove.

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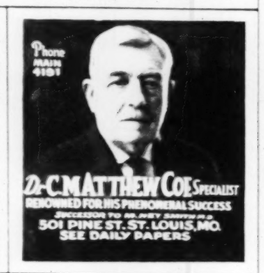

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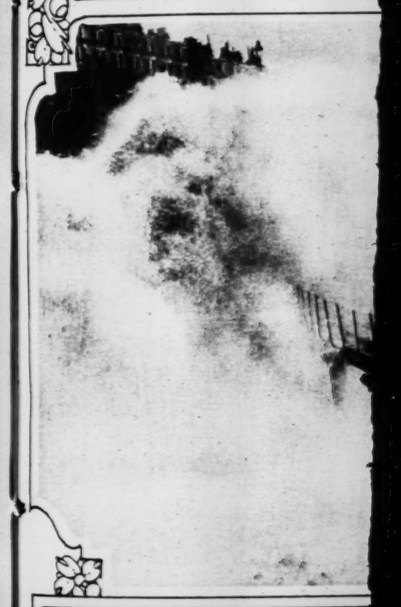

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Struck by a hurricane, the Ward Line steamship, La Esperanza, foundered recently, outside the port of Tampico, Mexico. Distress signals brought other ships and all hands were saved. The camera snapped the big ship as she sank.
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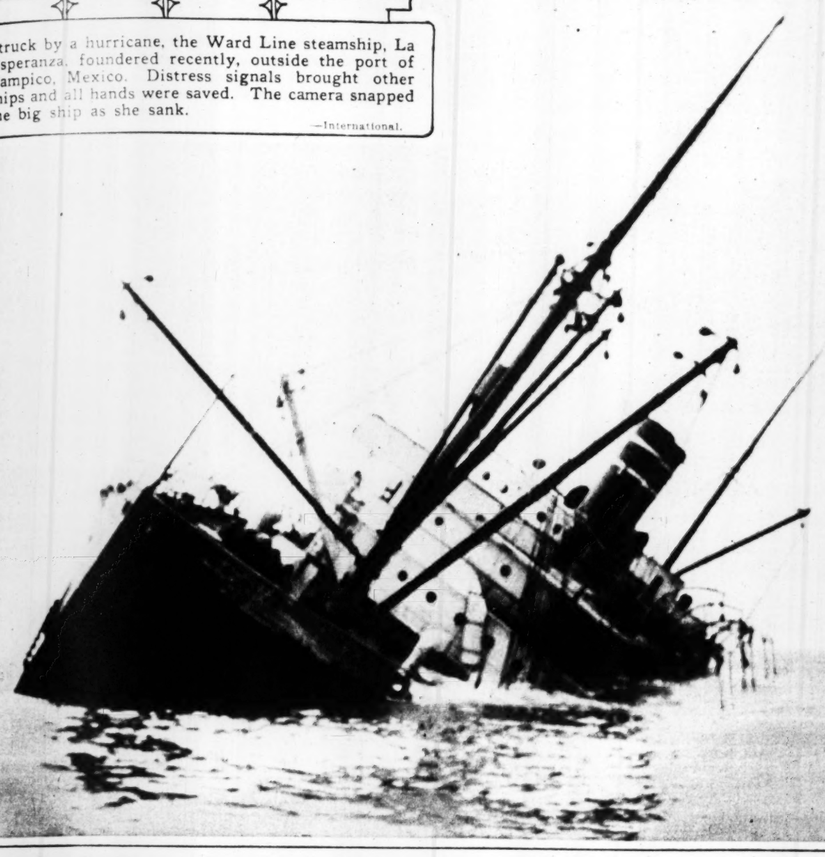

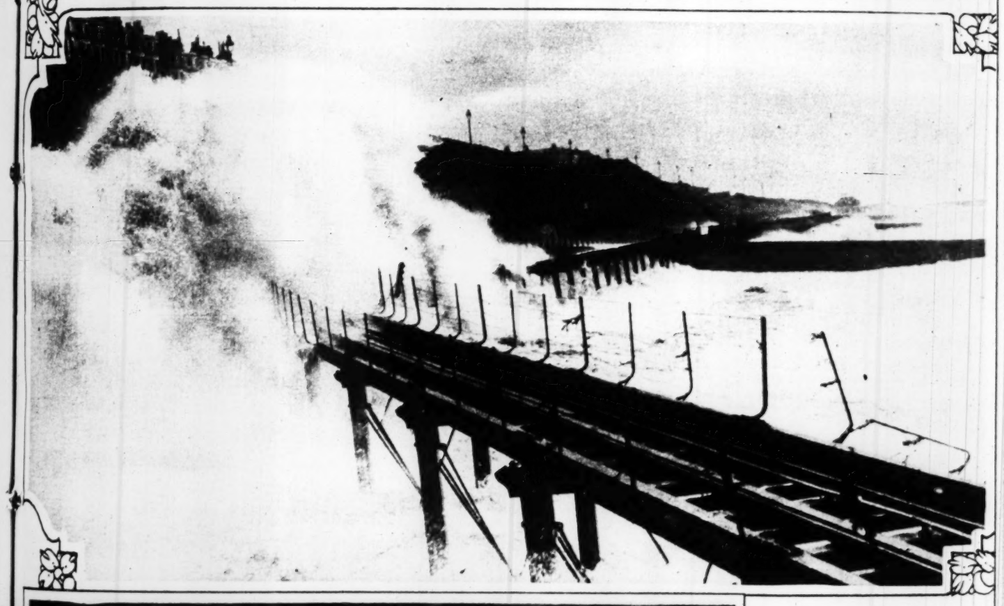

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Brighton, England, had the other day its worst storm in 30 years. There in the foreground is ocean spray dashing above the electric railway's elevated track.
—P. & A. Photo.

Miss Isabel Rockefeller, schoolma'am. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy A. Rockefeller, and a grandniece of the elder John D. Miss Rockefeller teaches biology in the Teachers' College at Columbia University, in New York City. She was introduced to society two years ago, but didn't take to it.
—International.

Dental specialists examined the teeth of about 70,000 entrants in the "perfect teeth contest," held recently under auspices of the Allied Dental Council. Twenty-six persons with perfect teeth were found. Miss Zara Guidarova, shown here, received a trophy because her teeth were adjudged "most perfect of all."
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Mary Brian as Wendy and Betty Bronson as Peter, in the new film version of Sir James M. Barrie's "Peter Pan."

Laura Arnold in "Blossom Time," appearing this week in St. Louis.

Patricia Ann Manners in "Little Jessie James," shortly to appear in St. Louis.

Taken in Jhelum, India, this picture shows a primitive method of crossing a stream. The passenger sits astride a seat dangling from the pulley. He coasts down the inclined part of his journey, then pulls himself the rest of the way. —© Underwood & Underwood.

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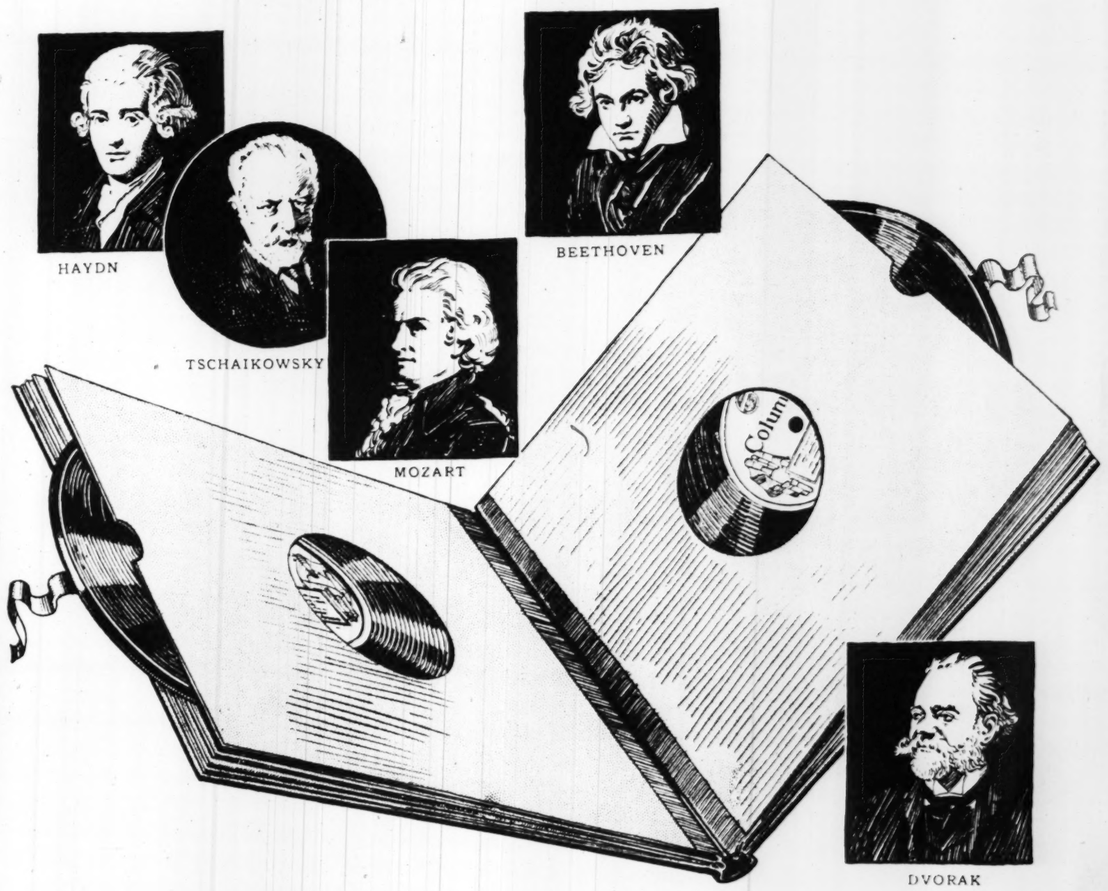

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December 21, 1924.

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BRINGING UP FATHER — **By GEORGE McMANUS**

Mr. and Mrs.-

By Briggs

LISTEN JOE DEAR - I WANT TO ASK A FAUOR OF YOU -

SHOOT -- I KNOW WHAT IT IS I'LL BET

WELL ALL RIGHT BUT IT'S THIS -- PLEASE DON'T INVEST A LOT OF MONEY ON A CHRISTMAS GIFT FOR ME

YEP! I GUESSED IT! I KNEW YOU WERE GOING TO SAY IT

WILL YOU DO ME THAT FAUOR?

OH VI! DON'T MAKE ME LAUGH!

I DON'T SEE WHAT'S SO FUNNY ABOUT IT !!

AH-H-PHAW! EVERY YEAR THE SAME OLD LINE

LISTEN! LAST YEAR YOU SAID THE SAME THING -- I TOOK YOU AT YOUR WORD -- I THOUGHT YOU MEANT IT AND GAVE YOU **NOTHING!** WHAT **HAPPENED!?** YOU GOT SORE AND THEN **BAWLED** ALL DAY-

WHY JOE I DON'T 'MEMBER THAT

YOU DON'T CATCH ME ON THAT STUFF AGAIN

THEN YOU HAVE BOUGHT ME A PRESENT ALREADY?

YES - I'VE BOUGHT YOUR PRESENT BUT LISTEN HERE, I DON'T WANT YOU TO SPEND ANYTHING ON ME THIS YEAR-

NOW IT'S MY TURN TO LAUGH-

NO REALLY VI- PLEASE DON'T SPEND A LOT OF GOOD DOUGH ON ME -- IT'S FOOLISH -

LAST YEAR I TOOK YOU AT YOUR WORD - THE SAME WORDS, AND YOU WERE SULKY ALL DAY LONG

YES - BUT I MEAN IT THIS YEAR

TOO LATE TOO LATE.

DID YOU GET ME A PRESENT?

YES - AND IT NEARLY BUSTED ME TOO!

- AND I'LL HAVE TO MORTGAGE THE HOUSE AND LOT TO PAY FOR YOURS

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NO NO - I SHALL **NOT** TELL YOU WHAT IT IS TILL CHRISTMAS MORNING - NOW STOP TEASING - **NO** I'LL NOT TELL YOU WHAT IT COST! IT COST ENOUGH - GOOD - NIGHT!

PLEASE JOE - GIVE ME JUST A HINT OF WHAT IT IS WON'T YOU? WHAT LETTER DOES IT BEGIN WITH - ?? WILL YOU TELL ME WHAT IT COST? PLEASE - - PL

AND SO, - FAR - FAR - INTO THE NIGHT

BRIGGS '24

"TOONERVILLE

"I'M SORRY, CHILD, BU... YOU HAVE ONE OF MY ... UP! THE OTHER CHILDREN ... EVERY PAIR BUT THE ON... I HAVE ON!

"GOSH! AN EARTH QUAK... OR ELSE AUNT EPPIE ... HAS FELL DOWN AGIN!

"HERE! HERE! WHO I... UNBUTTONING MY SH... AT ONCE

"TOONERVILLE FOLKS"

(Copyright)

BY FONTAINE FOX

"I'M SORRY, CHILD, BUT I CAN'T LET YOU HAVE ONE OF MY STOCKINGS TO HANG UP! THE OTHER CHILDREN HAVE TAKEN EVERY PAIR BUT THE ONES I HAVE ON!

"I KNOW I PROMISED TO LET YOU HAVE ONE OF MY STOCKINGS BUT ...

"ALL RIGHT FOR YOU! AUNT EPPIE HOGG! ALL RIGHT FOR YOU!

THE BIRTH OF A VERY

!! ?

BRILLIANT IDEA!

" HERE! HERE! WHO'S DOING THAT! TAKE THAT STICK OUT! YOU'LL TRIP ME UP!

O! DEAR!

"GOSH! AN EARTH QUAKE!! OR ELSE AUNT EPPIE HOGG HAS FELL DOWN AGIN!

"I DIDN'T FALL! SOMEBODY TRIPPED ME! YOU MUST HURRY AND GET AT LEAST SEVEN MEN T' PUT ME ON MY FEET PLEASE.

"IF YOU CAN GET THE POWERFUL KATRINKA TO HELP, YOU'LL ONLY NEED ONE OR TWO MEN.

"HERE! HERE! WHO IS THAT UNBUTTONING MY SHOE? STOP IT AT ONCE!

"WHOEVER IT IS HAS TAKEN MY SHOE OFF! HELP! HELP!

HELLP

"I GOT IT!

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TOO LATE TOO LATE.

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MUTT AND JEFF -:- A Merry Christmas—But Not for Jeff -:- By BUD FISHER

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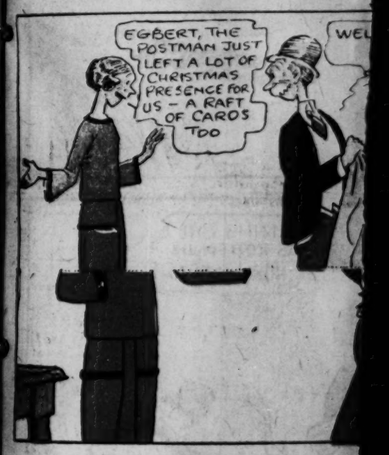

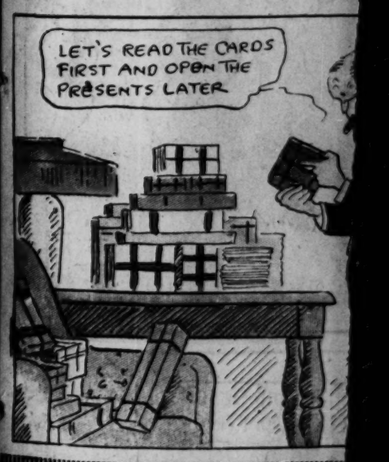

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THE TANGLED COMIC (No. 8) Put Everything Back in Its Proper Place. See Rules Printed Below.

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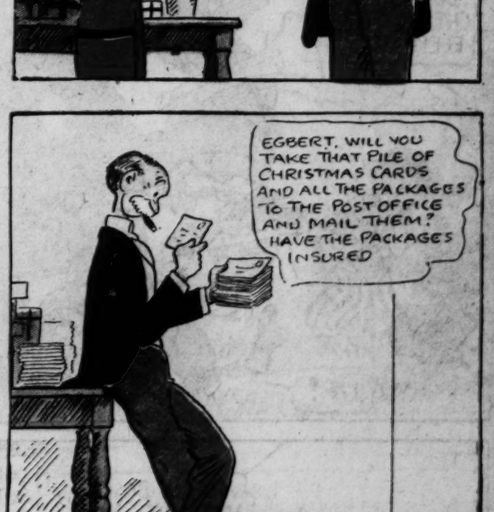

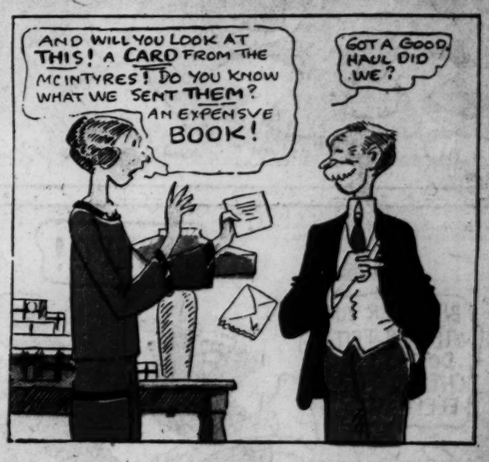

A "TANGLED COMIC" will appear every week for twelve weeks as a Comic Section feature of the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

Captions, characters and scenes will be disarranged as if the artist had torn the completed picture into scraps and reassembled the scraps without regard for the original drawings. The artist does not always spell correctly, and you must correct his misspelled words.

Cash prizes will be awarded to Post-Dispatch readers who rearrange the Tangled Comic and submit their solutions to the Tangled Comic Editor.

331 prizes totaling $1100 will be awarded each week.

Four Grand Prizes totaling $1800 will be awarded after the solutions of the 12th Tangled Comic problem have been received here.

Weekly prizes will be awarded in the order of merit, solutions submitted being judged according to——

1st—Accuracy of arrangement of the Tangled Comic in its original state, having regard for position of characters, sequence of scenes, the "conversation" of the characters and the correction of misspelled words, etc.

2d—Neatness of the finished solution submitted.

3d—Skill, originality or unique method of rearrangement, as disclosed by the solution submitted.

After twelve weeks, grand prizes will be awarded by the same tests. Any solution, of any of the twelve different Tangled Comics, submitted within the required time limits, is eligible for a grand prize.

Solutions must be submitted every week by mail, addressed to Tangled Comic Editor, the Post-Dispatch, 12th and Olive Streets, St. Louis, Mo., and must be received here not later than noon of Saturday, the sixth day after date of publication.

All solutions must be accompanied by an identifying note, giving name and complete address (including P. O. Box, R. F. D. route and box or street and number, town, state, etc.) of the sender. No solutions will be acknowledged and none returned.

Awards will be announced in all editions of the Sunday Post-Dispatch of date two weeks after date of publication, of each Tangled Comic, together with a black and white reproduction of the correct solution.

Everybody may compete for a share of the prizes offered, excepting only employes of the Post-Dispatch and members of their families.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Your solution contains writing when you correct a word in your Tangled Comic. This makes it subject to first class or letter postage.

If you do not put the required amount of postage upon your solution, when mailing, it is very likely to be sent to the Dead Letter Office in Washington, when name of sender is not visible, or withheld by the Post Office Department until you can be notified of postage due. This delay might cause your contribution to arrive too late for consideration. Therefore, make sure you have the required amount of postage upon your entry, as the Post-Dispatch will only accept prepaid mail.

In the event of a tie for any of the prizes offered, the amount of the prize will be paid to each participant in the tie.

Only one solution may be submitted by any person for one of the weekly prizes.

The right is reserved by the Post-Dispatch to accept the decision of the Tangled Comic Editor and his art staff associates as final in the award and payment of the cash prizes offered, and the submission of solutions will be construed as acceptance of this condition by those who compete for prizes.

WEEKLY CASH PRIZE DISTRIBUTION—

$100.00 in cash for the most meritorious solution submitted.
50.00 in cash for the solution next in order of merit.
100.00 in four prizes of $25 each for solutions next in order of merit.
250.00 in twenty-five prizes of $10 each for solutions next in order of merit.
300.00 in sixty prizes of $5.00 each for solutions next in order of merit.
100.00 in forty prizes of $2.50 each for solutions next in order of merit.
200.00 in two hundred prizes of $1.00 each for solutions next in order of merit.

$1100.00 Weekly Total for Twelve Weeks.

GRAND PRIZE DISTRIBUTION—At end of competition.

$1000.00 in each for the most meritorious solution during the 12 weeks period.
500.00 in cash for the solution second in oder of merit.
200.00 in cash for the solution third in order of merit.
100.00 in cash for the solution fourth in order of merit.

$1800.00 GRAND PRIZE TOTAL.

THE CAPTAIN AND THE KIDS

Mark, 1926, Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

By R. Dirks
Originator of the Katzenjammer Kids

TAMED BY DER MOOSIC LIKE A PET POODLE PUP! - HOW LUFLY!
COME ON MAMMA VE TAKE HIM FOR A VALK!
DOT'S HOW VE ISS GOING TO TAME 'DER VILD ELEPHUMPS! MIGHT BE VE SELL A SHIP-FULL UND GET RICH LIKE A DOD-BUSTED CATAPULIST!
COULD I LEND DER TOOTER A MINUTE, PLEASE? I VANT TO TAME MY BRUDDER!
CHASS, I FEEL EXTRA VILD TODAY!

PAZAZA, OLD TOP, DERE ISS MILLIONS IN IT! LADIES ISS ALL NUTTY MIT PETS!
HA! WIZ SIX MILLION PAZOOSTER IN ZE PILE, I MAKE QUEEK ZE REVOLUTION IN ZAT DEAR BANANA AN' ZE GOOSE HANG HIGH!
DEM TWO OLD GEEZERS SHOULD GET ON IN DER WORLD!
UND DOT COMES FROM TOOTING YOUR OWN HORN!
INK

TUM TE - TUM -
DOT'S DER STUFF! YOU TOOTLE 'EM DITZY UND I LEAD 'EM CHENTLY MIT DER ROPE HOME!
VIVA CAPITAN! TOU HAFF TUMBLE TO ZE IDEA LIKE ZE FLASH! FORWARD IN ZE JUNGLE!

GIFF HIM DER JAZZ HE LOOKS FISHY!
AHA! ZE LUCK HE EZ WIZ US - GET READY ZE ROPE!
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GRROOMP!
VOT DER BUM-BOOZLE?

GIFF A LOOK - ISS HE TAME YET?
FASTER, SENOR, OR ZE NAME EZ WHAT YOU CALL MUD!
DER PRETZIDENT ODER DER MILLIONAIRE - WHO ISS GAINING?
I BET ON DER TRUNKER!

HALPO!
BLOW DER VUN-STEPPER, FRITZ, DOTS DER CHEESE FOR ELEPHANTS!
UF!

NOW DER GRAND MARCH! COME ALONG CHUMBO, YOUR VILD OATS ISS OFER!
OOMP!
FOR ZE LOVE OF MIKE!
SAFED BY DER KIDS! PAZAZA, VE OWE 'EM A KNICKLE!

TO DER KITCHEN PROFESSOR, I FEEL EMPTY FOR PIE!
SUMZING SHE WAS ROTTEN IN ZE HORN CAPITAN!
OHO!! IN DENMARK YOU MEAN!

ATA BOY BOSCO! LOOK FRITZ, HOW QUICK HE LEARNS DER PIE RULES!
DOT'S NICE! BUT VOT'S DER RULES VEN DER ICE BOX ISS EMPTY?

SLAM!
LOCKED! HEY-VAIT!
HUH?

NOW TOOT DER FOIST VUN OFER AGAIN! HYENAS ISS TOUGHER AS ELEPHUMPS!
DID DEY DONE SUM'TING?
PARADISE ISLAND! HOT DOGGIE!

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For Better or Worse

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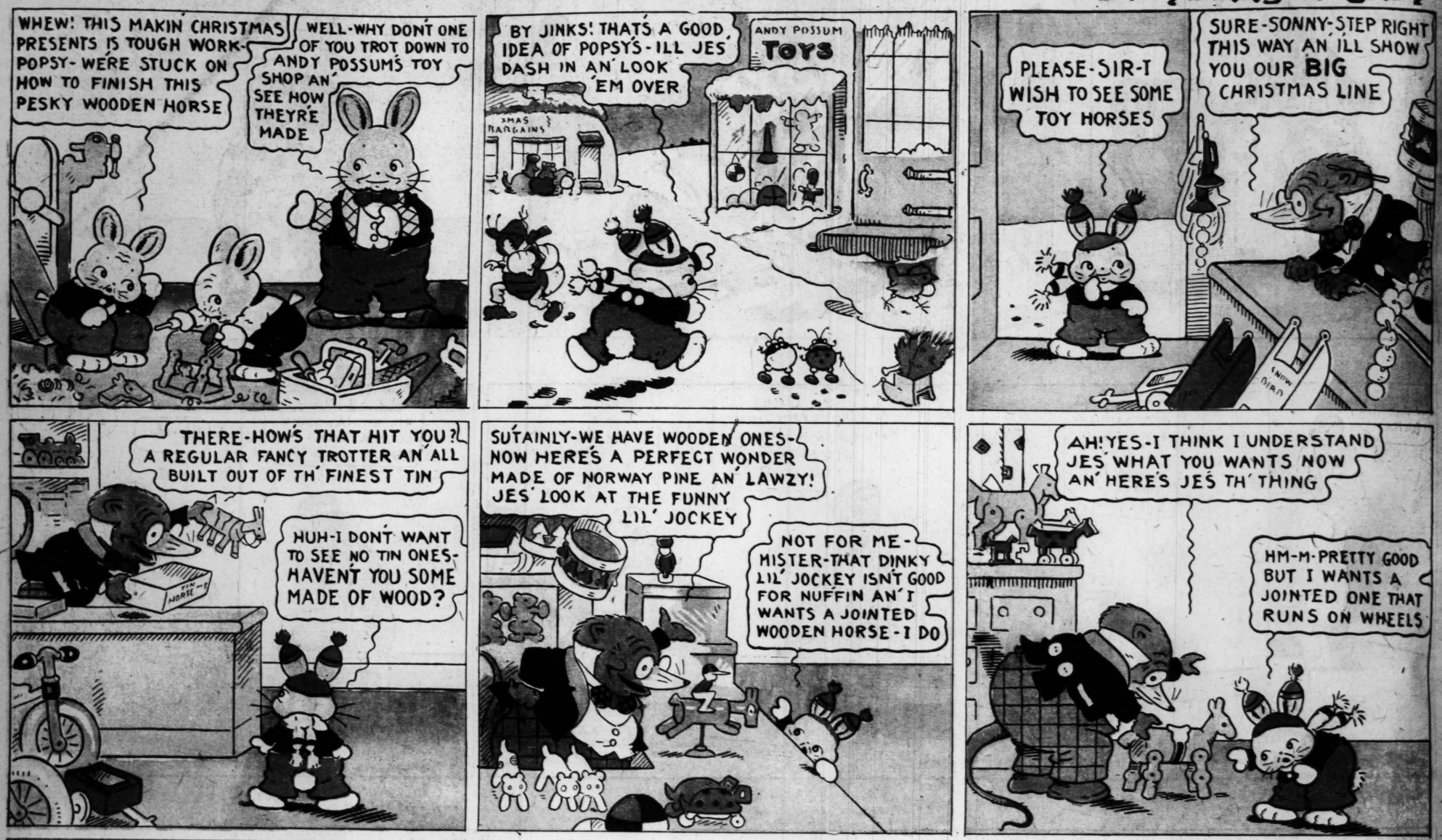
The Katzenjammer Kids

Peter Rabbit

HIS YOUNGEST DISCOVERS THAT IT ISN'T SO DIFFICULT TO MAKE CHRISTMAS PRESENTS WOE-ITS MIGHTY HARD TO FIND OUT HOW THEY'RE MADE.

BY HARRISON CADY



Most Persons Are Honest

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ISOLATION CAUSED BY STORM BEING REDUCED

Rise in Temperature Helps Workmen Gradually Restore Interrupted Service of Public Utilities.

SNOW WITHIN 36 HOURS PREDICTED

Virtually All Trains Again Departing on Time—Union Electric Repairing Its Broken Lines.

Rising temperature and the steady work of repairmen of public utilities has reduced the isolation of St. Louis that followed the ice storm of Thursday night and cold wave, but there are still some varying deficiencies in telephone, railroad, telegraph, electric and interurban service.

Snow within the next 36 hours is probable, the Weather Bureau predicts, and this, if in volume, may hamper repair of communication means. The temperature had risen to 22 by this morning, 21 degrees higher than the minimum of Saturday, and a further rise to about 28, lasting through the night, was forecast.

There may be a little thawing of the ice blanket on outdoor objects in the sun during the day, even though the temperature is below freezing, but a general thaw is not likely in the near future.

There is an area of cold wave from Montana to Omaha, Neb., but elsewhere throughout the country there has been a general rise in temperature of a few degrees or more. Today's coldest was 20 below at Miles City, Mont. In Chicago it was 8 above early today.

Trains Leaving on Time.

Trains are now departing from Union Station on time, and there is no unusual crowd at the station. The Missouri Pacific, which used Tower Grove Station as a temporary terminal, has resumed use of Union Station. There are some delays in arrival of trains, but not much more than usual in cold weather. At 9 a. m., 11 morning trains, on the Chicago & Alton, Burlington, Missouri-Kansas-Texas and Wabash, had not arrived and no word had been received about them, because wires were down, but they were presumed to be on the way.

Some Eastern trains have arrived virtually on time, but roads to Chicago and the West still are experiencing difficulties. President Miller of the Terminal Railroad issued the following statement today: "The railway service affected by the recent storm that wrecked the telegraph and telephone service and froze the block signals in a large area in the Mississippi and Missouri valleys has been restored. Both passenger and freight are being handled through St. Louis uninterruptedly."

The Wabash Railway announced that its six-and-a-half hour train from Chicago arrived here two minutes ahead of time yesterday and the corresponding train to Chicago arrived on time.

Restoring Electric Service.

About 25 per cent of the Union Electric service that was severed by the storm had been restored by today. Frank J. Boehm, vice president of the company, said, and about 10 days more will be necessary to restore it completely, though a "good part" is expected to be back in service by Thursday.

The electric situation in Kirkwood, where Boehm resides, is bad, he said, and most of the lines there must be rebuilt. Electricity was restored yesterday to isolated sections on the fringe of the city and in University City and Maplewood. The main transmission line through the county, which was knocked out by the ice and falling trees, was restored last night, but local service and individual lines remain to be repaired. It was in the county that electric service was worst hit, and many suburban homes are still using candles and oil lamps, cooking by makeshift means, and without adequate heat by reason of the electricity failure.

18,000 Telephone Poles Down.

Long-distance telephone calls are now being accepted for all points east of the Mississippi River, except a few places in Northern Illinois. Lines to the north, west, southwest and south are still out, but a circuit to Little Rock, Ark., is expected to be restored during the day. The lines in Western Missouri were not damaged as badly as others and service to Kansas City is expected to be re-

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WARMER TO... WITH LOW... SNOW P...

THE TEMPER...

1	a. m.		17	8
2	a. m.		17	10
3	a. m.		17	9
4	a. m.		17	9
5	a. m.		17	9
6	a. m.		17	9
7	a. m.		18	9
8	a. m.		19	

Highest yesterday... lowest, 9, at 8 a...

A WINTER'S TALE, BOUND IN ICE.

sets today at 4:42...
Stage of the Mi... St. Louis, 4.5 feet... .8 foot.

ICE SKATING PE... IN ALL PUBLIC...

Coasting Also Pos... Part of Art Hi... nour...

Ice skating will... all the public par... Commissioner Pap... er a survery whi... each park lake h... inches of ice.

Coasting is poss... part of Art Hill... preparations have... that sport. The... snowfall makes it... construct slides.

A street in... closed by the police... to give children a... chance to coas... from traffic, and... it with fire hose,... icy surface. The... hattan avenue, b... ton and St. Elmo... dinance specially... to take such acti...

CHRISTMAS PR... NOT BE DELA...

Postmaster Alt... Now Able t... Outgoin...

Santa Claus wo... his pre-Christmas... presents across th... from St. Louis, a... has been largely... the storm.

Postmaster Alt... roads are now a... the outgoing m... about the Christ... ume, and the... packages has be...

VICTIMS' MOUT...

Robbers Hold ... Market, Bindi...

By the Associated P...

DETROIT, Dec... robbers entered... market here yes... gagged two emp... keepers of the... working leisurely... rifling safes in... escaped with ab...

The victims o... with the exceptio... were seized as... market, were b... their mouths co... tape and forced... of the basement...

Verdun's F...

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VERDUN, De... of Verdun is de... tioned in the Fr... and decorated w... by Gen. Petain... through the she... Verdun and V... a small band o... out desperately... mans.

Have Y... Spare T...

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The fiel... lines are... find by... Wanted... Post-Di...

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